

Pension Bill Riddled By Many Changes

Alter Rankin Measure Past Recognition

Washington, March 23—(AP)—Amid wrangling debate, the House riddled the multi-billion dollar Rankin pension bill with amendments today, then put off final action on the veterans aid measure until tomorrow.

The postponement climaxed two days of hectic maneuvering over disposition of the bill sponsored by Rep. Rankin (D-Miss) to give veterans of both World Wars \$90 a month at age 65, regardless of need. The administration opposes the bill, contending that it would cost \$125,000,000,000 in the first 50 years, with the annual outlay rising to \$4,000,000,000 by the year 2,000.

But before the lawmakers halted their deliberations today, they had altered the original measure almost beyond recognition.

Rankin proposes delay. It was Rankin himself, who proposed a further delay after opponents had loaded down his plan with various restrictive clauses. He put across the postponement by a vote of 173 to 88.

The bill's foes wanted to continue action. They apparently hope to saddle it down with so many amendments that the House then will vote to send the measure back to the veterans committee for "further study."—In other words to pigeon-hole it.

These are the major changes tentatively approved thus far (all subject to later roll call votes):

1. Basing the pension payments on length of service according to a formula proposed by Rep. Jacobs (D-Ind.). Under this plan veterans, when they reach the age of 65, would receive a flat \$10 a month, plus \$1 for each month of service during actual hostilities and another \$3 per month for each month of service in a theatre of operations.

2. Restricting the grants to (A) single veterans who are 65 and under 70; (B) married veterans whose yearly incomes did not exceed \$3,000. This amendment by Rep. Rogers (D-Gla.) was approved 127 to 70.

Jacobs, whose formula was adopted by a vote of 135 to 111, told the House that if it approved a veterans pension plan on any other basis it would be a case of "just plain buying votes."

The House did reject two amendments to bar World War II servicemen from the Rankin Bill's proposed benefits. The votes on these proposals by Reps. Huber (D-Ohio) and Kearney (R-N.Y.) were 162 to 3 and 121 to 65, respectively.

Republican members took the lead today in arguing against the Rankin bill because of its prospective cost. Rep. Carroll (D-Col.) declared that the country simply cannot foot the bill at this time.

"It's the issue you are going to have to meet and you're not prepared to meet it," he said.

Dutch-Indonesian Dispute Will Be Settled By U. N.

Lake Success, March 23—(AP)—The security council approved tonight a Canadian plan aimed at settling the Dutch-Indonesian conflict in round table talks.

The vote was 8 to 0.

Russia, the Soviet Ukraine and France abstained on the vote, which Russia demanded.

The council action ended a long series of debates on a way to bring the Dutch and Indonesian leaders together.

A Dutch spokesman, Dr. J. H. Van Royen, said the Canadian idea was very helpful.

An Indonesian spokesman, Dr. L. N. Palar, said he thought his government might accept it if it meant Republican leaders would be freed before any round table conference is held.

The council adjourned until Monday.

The Canadian plan calls for the United Nations commission on Indonesia to try to bring the Dutch and leaders of the Indonesian Republic together on a plan for carrying out a council resolution approved Jan. 28.

HELD FOR STEALING MONEY FROM LETTER

Danville, Ill. March 23—(AP)—John Robert Baskin 23 of Urbana was held in jail today on a federal charge of stealing \$4.50 from a letter.

A. W. Stacks post office inspector, said Baskin was charged with stealing the money from a letter postmarked at Savoy, Ill., March 21, and addressed to the Personal Finance company of Champaign. He was arrested yesterday.

Reveal Red Document Calling For Strikes

New York, March 23—(AP)—A communist document which preached a general strike and armed action along military lines was cited today as a guide to party strategy.

The document was reported by the opening government witness, Louis Budenz, once was a member of the U. S. Communist party's "politburo" and managing editor of its paper, the Daily Worker. He renounced the party four years ago.

He told the jurors hearing the case against 11 American communist leaders about inner workings of the party between 1935 and 1945.

Budenz said a program of the sixth world congress of the Communist International was one of the documents given him for guidance by Jacob Stachel, a defendant, when he went to work on the Daily Worker.

U. S. Attorney John F. X. McGohhey, who said in his opening statement Monday that the 11 defendants hold the key to an American revolution, read from the program.

He said that among strategic aims of the communists was extension of influence over the majority of the working class, to gain control of trade unions and to win over "the masses of the poor."

The whole strategy, McGohhey said, was to culminate in "mass action."

This, he declared, involved strikes and demonstrations to be followed by a general strike and armed action, with the latter to be "conducted according to military rules."

The document also called for "intensified revolutionary work in the army and navy," McGohhey said.

The prosecutor quoted the program as saying that the proletariat "must overwhelm capitalism in many of the so-called civilized countries" to bring closer the day of the final victory of socialism.

Find Slain Girl's Sister, Husband In Minneapolis

Minneapolis, March 23—(AP)—Milton Babich and Kathleen Birmingham, sister of a slain West Allis, Wis., girl, were picked up today by Minneapolis police.

The 19-year-old Babich is wanted in West Allis on a charge of contributing to the delinquency of a minor.

He and Kathleen, who is 17, eloped last Friday.

Eugene Bernath, inspector of detectives, said the couple told this story:

They were married at Kalamazoo, Mich., last Friday after leaving their Milwaukee homes the day before. Sunday they passed through Chicago on the way to Minneapolis and learned from newspapers that the body of Patricia, Kathleen's sister, had been found.

They decided to continue their honeymoon and came here by bus. The two rented the housekeeping room where they were found. Babich planned to get a job here.

Both denied knowing of any possible reason for the slaying of Patricia.

Mother Seriously Injured In Fire That Killed Baby

Brookport, Ill., March 23—(AP)—An 11-month-old baby burned to death here today and his mother is in a critical condition at Riverside hospital in Paducah, Ky., as a result of a fire which gutted their home.

The baby, Edward Crozier, Jr., burned beyond recognition, was buried this afternoon.

The child's father, Edward Crozier, 54, broke away from friends who attempted to restrain him and entered the home to help bring out the child's body.

Mrs. Crozier, 29, was removed from a bedroom in the front of the three-room frame house shortly after the fire was discovered.

Deputy Coroner C. E. Munal, Metropolis, said he will hold an inquest, probably Friday.

Boyd Appointment Leaves Next Move To John L. Lewis

Pittsburgh, March 23—(AP)—Senate confirmation of Dr. James Boyd as head of the U. S. Bureau of Mines today left the next step in the coal mine shutdown squarely up to John L. Lewis.

Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers, called 463,000 hard and soft coal miners out of the pits Monday, March 14, to protest Boyd's appointment. Lewis considers him unqualified since he never was a miner. The work stoppage also was termed a memorial to mine accident victims.

The miners are scheduled to return to work next Monday. No one in authority has said they won't, but many have wondered what action Lewis would take if the senate ignored his wishes—as it has.

Fred Gullick, secretary-treasurer of UMW District 5 which governs about 27,000 miner-members in western Pennsylvania, tonight flatly declared the diggers will be back in the pits Monday morning.

BRITISH FLEET 'BATTLES'

London, March 23—(AP)—Britain's home fleet began a three-day "battle" in the English channel today to test coastal defenses.

Foreign Delegates Begin To Arrive For 'Peace' Meet

New York, March 23—(AP)—Foreign delegates began arriving today for a three-day "world peace" conference as protest groups planned picketing and prayer by massed thousands.

Patriotic, civic and veterans' organizations said prayer will dominate their demonstrations—"prayer that liberation will come soon for the Russian-enslaved millions."

The "world peace" conference, to open Friday night at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel, has been described by Secretary of State Dean Acheson as "a sounding board for communist propaganda."

State Department officials also have described it as a Moscow move to oppose the North Atlantic security pact and further other Soviet aims.

The conference is sponsored by the national council of the arts, sciences and professions. Dr. Harlow Shapley, Harvard astronomer and chairman of the council, says the conference is independent politically and will be conducted in the "Democratic tradition."

Czechoslovak delegates were the first to arrive today from abroad. The four-member delegation claimed it had been discriminated against because its visitors' permits were limited to seven days.

Say State Legion's Report On Housing Contrary To Policy

Chicago, March 23—(AP)—An Illinois American Legion committee's report against public housing and rent controls today was termed contrary to the Legion's national and state policy.

William G. Burns of Chicago, Illinois state commander, said release of the committee report—which termed rent controls economically unsound—was "entirely unauthorized."

He said the Legion went on record at its national convention as favoring rent controls until March 31, 1950.

A resolution calling for an end to "governmental interference in the field of housing," was adopted yesterday by the Illinois Legion's committee on veterans' housing policy.

The six-member committee, headed by John C. Gregory, of Rockford, recommended that "governmental interference of the control of individual and multiple dwelling unit projects be terminated." It also called for such control to "be restored under a free enterprise system to private capital." The committee met at Rockford.

About 175 persons, most of them women, paraded with signs which read: "Churchill wants war—America wants peace" and "Go home, Mr. Churchill, we want peace."

At what was believed to be a record-sized news conference aboard the ship, Churchill declined to say anything about international affairs except to remark he gave full support to the pact.

Later, however, when some one brought up his 1946 Fulton, Mo., speech proposing a union of nations against communism, Churchill said:

"I read that Fulton speech over recently to see what I said and I am bound to say that I am not inclined to go back on any of it."

"I would say that if I did it today I would go beyond it."

Students Of U. Of I. Galesburg Branch To Go Elsewhere

Springfield, Ill., March 23—(AP)—Students at the Galesburg branch of the University of Illinois will be absorbed on other campuses of the school when the unit is closed, President George D. Stoddard said today.

The university has agreed to turn over the branch July 1 to a new welfare institution for care of aged and infirm persons.

Governor Stevenson said the state has applied to the war assets administration for purchase or lease of the branch, the former U. S. Army Mayo General Hospital.

Stoddard said all staff members on tenure at Galesburg will be transferred to the university at Urbana-Champaign or to Navy Pier in Chicago.

"It is probable that the students who have finished one year at Galesburg can be taken care of at the Navy Pier or Urbana-Champaign," the university head said in a statement.

Illinois House OKs Monthly Ceiling Of \$65 On Pensions

Springfield, Ill., March 23—(AP)—The Illinois House today approved a \$65 monthly ceiling on old age and blind pension payments, up \$15 over the present limit.

A vote of 135 to 0 sent the bill to the senate. If passed there, it would go into effect immediately when signed by Governor Stevenson, who is supporting it.

Stevenson has agreed to give up his plan for removing the ceiling entirely.

Subsistence payments now average \$45 a month to 128,000 aged persons and \$45 to 4,600 blind pensioners.

Since payments would continue to be fixed by the Illinois public aid commission on the basis of need, those who now qualify for the \$65 maximum would benefit directly by the proposed \$65 ceiling.

In the senate, Republican leaders recommended a pension ceiling geared to cost of living changes.

Their plan came from Senator Wallace Thompson of Galesburg, of Galesburg, GOP majority leader, in the form of an amendment to a pending bill.

Senate Passes Rent Control Extension With 'Home Rule'

Acheson Warns Russia To Stay Out Of Strategic Middle East

Washington, March 23—(AP)—Secretary of State Acheson warned Russia—and reassured Greece, Turkey and Iran—today that the United States is as determined as ever to block Soviet expansion into the strategic Middle East.

It was the second time in five days that Acheson had spoken out publicly to underscore that policy. It was evident he feared that some nations might have "misinterpreted" this country's recent concentration

on the North Atlantic pact as meaning a drop in interest in the Middle East.

Today, as in a radio speech last Friday, Acheson said that is not so. He added, "Our interest in the security of these countries has been made clear, and we shall continue to pursue that policy."

At a news conference, the secretary of state issued three statements dealing with the middle eastern area. Then, in response to questions, he left open the possibility that the United States might regard favorably the reaction of a Middle Eastern defense treaty comparable to the North Atlantic security agreement.

For the moment, he said he had no comment on that possibility.

In his three statements, Acheson made these points:

1. The United States became aware during the North Atlantic pact negotiations that its concern over western Europe might be "misinterpreted as implying a lessening of our interest" in other areas, particularly the Near and Middle East. Acheson then reassured the people of those areas and by indirectness warned Russia not to misjudge Uncle Sam's interest.

2. Soviet Russian propaganda pressure on Iran has intensified in recent weeks, according to reports.

The communist radio accompanied its left-handed announcement with Starboring of Li Tsung-Jen and Ho Yung-Chin. It called Li a "bogus acting president" and Ho a "bogus premier."

The broadcast from North China said if they were sincerely for peace they would have a chance to show it "in the very near future when peace negotiations are conducted."

AP Scribe Predicts Winners Of This Year's Oscars

Hollywood, March 23—(AP)—A fingers-crossed prediction on tomorrow night's cozy Oscar-awarding ceremonies:

Starring actor—Sir Laurence Olivier in "Hamlet."

Starring actress—Jane Wyman in "Johnny Belinda."

Picture—"Johnny Belinda."

Supporting actor—Walter Huston in "Treasure of the Sierra Madre."

Supporting actress—Agnes Moorehead in "Johnny Belinda."

This is Hollywood's 21st annual big night of searchlights, limousines, ermine, tuxedos, and ceremony. Twenty-seven or more foot-high gold-plated statuettes nicknamed Oscars will be awarded by the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences for the best movie work of last year.

Olivia De Havilland is considered Miss Wyman's hottest competition. Olivia played a psychopath in "The Snake Pit," Jane a deaf mute in "Johnny Belinda."

Nearly everybody says Olivier is a cinch in the men's starring division. Many say "Hamlet," which he directed and produced as well as starred in, should get the best-film award. It's also up for a directing prize.

GOP Fail To Force Action On Illinois School Aid Plan

Springfield, Ill., March 23—(AP)—Minority Republicans lost out today in an attempt to force early consideration by the entire Illinois House of a proposed \$123,000,000 two-year school aid program.

Cries of "politics" were exchanged by Democrats and Republicans before the Democratic majority defeated the move on a 75 to 63 roll call.

The vote, which strictly followed party lines, came on a motion by Rep. Reed F. Cutler, GOP floor leader, to take the school aid appropriation away from the Democratic-controlled education committee.

Cutler said the committee had refused to hold hearings on the bill and was "stalling" on orders of Governor Stevenson.

He said the governor was reneging on last fall's campaign promises to boost state school spending.

Will Sue School That Kept Twins, 14, In 1st Grade

Montreal, March 23—(AP)—Joseph Bouchard said today he will appeal to Canada's highest court the action of school officials who expelled his 14-year-old twin sons after they failed to advance after four years in the first grade.

Rodolphe and Robert were expelled in 1947 because Dixville, Que., school authorities considered them "habitually inebriated." The case has been in two Quebec courts.

The twins are now attending Abbe Perreault school in Sherbrooke 20 miles from Dixville. They have advanced to the second grade.

END MILK RATIONING

Budapest, Hungary, March 23—(AP)—Hungary will abolish milk rationing April 1, it was announced today.

Continues Curbs 12-15 Months

Washington, March 23—(AP)—The Senate tonight passed a "home rule" bill to extend rent controls 12 to 15 months and allow some rent boosts up to 10 per cent.

The vote was 68 to 10.

Under the "home rule" provision states would be permitted to remove rent curbs. Cities and towns would also be allowed to decontrol their areas when the state governor approved.

Will Wreck Program

Administration Democrats said the home-rule feature would "wreck" the entire federal rent control program.

President Truman had asked for a two-year extension of controls, but an attempt to carry out his request was swamped.

Mr. Truman also asked for a general strengthening of rent laws to punish violators. Both the Senate and House measures generally loosen controls.

The senate version now goes to the House which has already approved a bill calling for a flat 15-month extension. The House measure has a somewhat similar "home rule" provision, which would permit states, counties, cities and towns to junk rent controls any time—without the consent of the state's governor.

Joint Conference

Senate-House differences will be subjected to a joint conference. Then both Houses must approve the final version before it goes to the President to become law.

The present law expires March 31. The Senate knocked out criminal penalties of one year in prison and a \$5,000 fine for "willful violations" of federal rent ceilings.

The vote was 52 to 30. Senator Sparkman (D-Ala.) called the action "inconsistent."

He said congress year after year kept these penalties in operation for the special rent control law protecting the District of Columbia where many congressmen are tenants.

Under the Senate bill, two five per cent rent increases are authorized—the first Oct. 1, 1949, the second April 1, 1950. However, in no case could the total increases push a tenant's rent more than 15 per cent above the level of June 30, 1947.

RENT ROLL CALL

Washington, March 23—(AP)—The vote by which the Senate today defeated an amendment by Senators Bricker (R-Ohio) and Cain (R-Wash.) to the rent control bill that would have limited federal powers on evictions included:

Illinois—Lucas (D) and Douglas (D) against the amendment.

Missouri—Donnell (R) and Kem (R) for.

Wisconsin—Wiley (R) and McCarthy (R) for.

Low—Hicklenlooper (R), for, Gillette (D) against.

Indiana—Capenhart (R) and Jenner (R) for.

'Rocky' Sentenced To Reform School As Incurable

Chicago, March 23—(AP)—Rafae "Rocky" Villaseor, 15, acquitted of a charge of murdering a playmate, today was sentenced to the state training school for boys near St. Charles as incurable.

Judge Robert J. Dunne, in juvenile court, ordered that Villaseor be sent to St. Charles, but specified no term of years. Judge Dunne heard two days of evidence of incorrigibility, truancy, and immorality before passing sentence.

The boy was freed of a charge of murdering William Gervais, 13 when the courts held that his statement regarding the slaying was improperly obtained. The Illinois supreme court refused to consider a motion to free him on a habeas corpus petition.

Under the law, Villaseor may be held in St. Charles until he is 21. Defense attorneys said they did not expect to appeal.

TRIM MILITARY BUDGET

Buenos Aires, March 23—(AP)—A presidential decree made public today disclosed that funds for Argentina's armed forces will be trimmed by 184,000,000 pesos (\$36,000,000) this year. The government is seeking total savings in all departments of 650,000,000 pesos (\$130,000,000).

WEATHER

The Norbury Sanatorium, cooperative observer for the U. S. Weather Bureau, yesterday reported the temperatures for Wednesday as follows:

High, 50; low, 33; and at 6 p.m., 48. Forecast for Illinois—Cloudy and warmer today with a few scattered showers. High 60 to 64.

VISITS STALIN

London, March 23—(AP)—Prime Minister Stalin tonight received the visiting Albanian government delegation, the Moscow radio said.

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news published herein.OUR MILITARIZING OF EUROPE
WOULD SINK RECOVERY PROGRAM

The first apparent objective of a North Atlantic security pact is the creation of a plan of mutual defense among the western European nations, Canada and the United States. The second apparent objective is a program of assistance from the United States which would do for Europe militarily what the Marshall Plan is doing economically.

The bulk of western Europe's military equipment was lost in the war's general destruction. What remains, outside of Great Britain, must be outdated, since the armies of France, the Low Countries and Norway were knocked out of action in 1940. So the problem is to restore Europe's armed strength as well as its economy to the prewar level.

The American government has now let it be understood, however, that economic aid will have priority over military aid. This should quiet some unfounded rumors of a big-scale arms expansion program and reassure all concerned that American aid is proceeding on the right track.

A North Atlantic defense alliance is something of a gamble, although a necessary one. No one outside the Communist sphere knows definitely when or if the Russians are planning to start another war. But the probability of the if is strong enough to demand joint preparations for defense.

There is no gamble connected with economic aid as far as Russia is concerned. The Soviets are openly making economic war by such means as closing trade channels and stirring up industrial and political disturbances in non-Communist countries.

It stands to reason that Russia is just as anxious to dominate Europe without going to war as we are to assure Europe's freedom without going to war. This is reason enough for giving the European Recovery Program first call on money, materials and men.

But success of the recovery program carries its own risk as well as its own victory. If Russia is thwarted in its bid for European domination by economic war, the Soviet leaders may risk a shooting war when they feel they are ready.

If this should happen there is little doubt that the Russians would win some important early victories, defense pact or no defense pact. As James P. Warburg pointed out in a recent speech, a really adequate preparation for defending Europe would involve either the rearming and remilitarizing of Germany or a big American force stationed in Europe before a war began.

We are committed not to rearm Germany, as Mr. Warburg recalled. And even if the American people would sanction the sending of an American army to Europe in time of peace, its presence might provoke rather than prevent hostilities.

Strategists of the western European government are reported to agree that the Rhine would be their natural line of defense in a war with Russia, but that it would be years before they would be strong enough to defend it. Even with American aid, perhaps their best hope would be to slow up the speed of a first Russian blow and protect the Channel ports until the full strength of American power could be applied.

One thing seems certain. If we should attempt to build up our own and Europe's military strength to match Russia's, the economic recovery program would fail. We should dangerously weaken ourselves and our friends in an effort to make ourselves strong.

This government has surely chosen the wisest course in deciding to concentrate on building up a productive and rewarding strength in Europe while at the same time giving Russia notice that the free world is not blind to the threat of a war which, in the end, Russia would lose.

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THE DOCTOR SAYS

Surgery Best
Treatment For
Fibroid TumorsBy Edwin P. Jordan, M. D.
Written For NEA Service

About one in five of all women who reach the age of 35 have what are called fibroid tumors of the uterus or womb. These nodules or tumors may be large or small. They are made up of muscle tissue and connective tissue, the latter being much like that of a scar.

The symptoms of fibroids depend on their location, size and blood supply. The best known symptom is excessive or painful bleeding. Some times discomfort or even severe pain in the lower part of the abdomen is the only sign of a fibroid. One of the most common symptoms is a feeling of weight often accompanied with constant fatigue. Also fibroids can produce bladder or rectal symptoms apparently caused principally by the pressure of the growths. Many women with fibroids, however, even when the tumors are rather large, may not have any symptoms at all.

Those fibroids which are not producing symptoms should receive what doctors call "expectant treatment." This means that they should be watched for symptom and the size observed in case growth should become rapid.

Surgery Customary

After the menopause, surgery is usually the best treatment for those fibroids which require treatment. Generally the whole uterus with the tumors attached has to be taken out. Some fibroids can be treated by radium or deep X-rays, but this is complicated and much skill and judgment is necessary in order to decide which tumors can be treated in this way.

In general, fibroid tumors of the uterus have to be considered on an individual basis. They may be large or small, they may produce symptoms, or they may be done, treatment may not be necessary or there may be a question of choice between several methods. They are so common in the middle years of life that they might almost be considered normal.

Note: Dr. Jordan is unable to answer individual questions from readers. However, each day he will answer one of the most asked questions in his column.

THE DOCTOR ANSWERS

By Edwin P. Jordan, M. D.

QUESTION: Please give a list of the tests and examination used for cancer.

ANSWER: It is impossible to answer this question briefly. There is no blood test which will detect cancer anywhere in the body. There are, however, increasingly good tests for detecting cancer in certain organs early, one of these being examination of the cells under the microscope, X-rays and various devices used in physical examination, especially those which can be used to examine the openings of the body, are particularly helpful.

William Walton
Visiting In City

William Walton, Washington editor of the New Republic, is spending a week's vacation visiting his sister, Mrs. John T. Hackett and family, 17 Pitner Place. His two children, Frances and Matthew, accompanied him here for the visit.

Mr. Walton, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Walton, has been engaged in newspaper and magazine work for a number of years. As a staff writer for Time, he participated in the invasion of Europe and wrote numerous articles from the battle zone.

Mr. Walton was foreign cable editor of the Associated Press in New York before he began magazine work.

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With temperature at 65 degrees below zero, aeronautic engineers George Gage, left, and Robert Dostader check a gun turret undergoing tests in General Electric's new "cold box," where bomber weapons are inspected. Wearing "storm suits," the men make many brief inspections—usually less than five minutes each—because of the extreme cold.

Passavant Hospital
Fund Now \$340,353;
City Teams Report

Another encouraging report of progress in the Passavant Memorial Area Hospital campaign was made Wednesday noon by teams consisting of nearly 200 men and women, who gathered at the Dunlap hotel. The sum of \$8,663 in new pledges and \$6,318 in foundation gifts were added to previous pledges, bringing the total amount raised in the campaign to \$340,353.

The teams organization reporting Wednesday is headed by Harold Gibson and Mrs. Clarence L. Rice.

The campaign goal is \$400,000, the final phase before the new \$2,100,000 hospital is erected and equipped for the service of citizens of the Jacksonville area. Federal and state grants, previous donations and contributions now being made in the final campaign will make the erection of the hospital possible.

Campaign workers in Jacksonville, Morgan county and surrounding counties are continuing their efforts, contacting thousands of citizens who are asked to share in the community project.

Committees Report
The Jacksonville teams, their captains and members, with the amount each individual has collected to date, boast the following sums:

Division A, Dr. Robert Hartman—T. Doyle, \$1,280; H. Hammett, \$1,386; R. Kaufmann, \$1,545; J. Long, \$1,120; R. Steinheimer, \$1,550.

Division B, Crit Haneline—M. Summers, \$755; M. Byus, \$445; E. D. Hayden, \$381; J. Dowland, \$855; T. Baker, \$875.

Division C, John Taylor—H. Atkins, \$3,280; J. Agger, \$870; W. Cody, \$625; H. Ferber, \$2,125; O. Galloway, \$1,757; J. S. Wright, \$791.

Division D, Hugh Gibson—C. Smith, \$1,550; R. Perkins, \$1,605; J. B. Wright, \$1,447; Dr. Bunch, \$5,205; Wm. L. Fay, \$958; A. Applebee, \$1,600.

Division E—Waldo McCreery—D. Blodgett, \$730; B. Roodhouse, \$465; A. A. Fay, \$863; J. Hackett, \$1,595; W. Martin, \$642.

Division F, Mrs. Garlick—Mrs. Hall, \$2,135; Mrs. Pierce, \$801; Mrs. Jewsbury, \$700; Mrs. Thomas, \$1,386; Mrs. Norvell, \$612.

Division G, Mrs. Grojean—Mrs. Green, \$3,526; Mrs. Carpenter, \$1,576; Mrs. Perib, \$1,992; Mrs. Hammett, \$1,255; Mrs. Boucher, \$2,270.

He returned to Chicago, from where he boarded a plane to Boston. Pearson was injured July 23, 1948, near Ashland, when a car driven by Charles Twamley of Rock Island, Ill., overturned. Twamley was killed.

Pearson sustained four fractures of his jaw and other injuries. He has now recovered sufficiently to rejoin the crew of his ship, which has been in dry dock at Boston.

Preview Of Senior
Class Play Given
In JHS Assembly

Scenes from "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay," the three-act comedy which the senior class of Jacksonville High school is to present Thursday and Friday evenings, were contained in a skit given before a general assembly at J.H.S. Wednesday morning.

The cast includes George Fox, Jerrie Wood, Mary Elledge, Bill Macdonald, Mary Helen Potter, Ed Bonacorsi, Bob Carpenter, John Wendorf, Junior Jording, Florence Ritchie, Doris Litter, Elaine Irlam, Betty Lou Walker, Mary Ann Gibbs, Alice Fasel, Jacques Korub, Howard Gulekumst and Charlotte Dietz.

The play is to be presented in the J.H.S. auditorium at 8 p.m. both evenings. Tickets may be obtained at the door.

Jersey Unit Has
March Meeting

The Jersey College Unit of Home Bureau held its meeting with Mrs. F. H. Hommer. The major lesson, "Salads and Salad Dressings," was given by the home adviser, Mrs. Mildred Seaman. Mrs. Harry Brainer gave the minor lesson, "A Study of Southern Illinois."

Mrs. Lawrence Mallicoat had charge of activities during the social period, which was directed by Mrs. Merrill Masten. Refreshments were served.

The April meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Raymond Owens.

Band Boosters card party. Also style show Kline's Dept. store. David Prince Gym., Friday 8 p.m. Tickets 50c.

Sinclair Club
Names Delegates
For State Meet

Delegates to the state convention at Petersburg on April 6 were appointed by the Sinclair Woman's club at a meeting held at Hamilton's Cafe, with Mrs. Lillian Strawn as hostess.

Those named were Mrs. Emma Robinson and Mrs. Mabel Martin, with Mrs. Dorothy Fox and Mrs. Helen Bates as alternates.

The meeting opened with the pledge to the flag led by Mrs. Kay Swain. Mrs. Strawn gave a report on the district board meeting held at Jacksonville.

Mrs. Bates introduced a motion to donate one dollar to the Trail Rangers fund. The members agreed to this, as well as to donating three dollars to the Red Cross, which was suggested by Mrs. Emma Robinson. It was also decided to change the meeting time to 2:30 p.m.

A brief talk on the Federation of Women's clubs was given by Mrs. E. H. Sheppard, the county president. "Parliamentary Laws" was the topic discussed by Mrs. Roy Davenport. Mrs. Bates was the program leader. Refreshments were served.

The next meeting will be held April 20 at the home of Mrs. Ada Dobbs.

WIFE BRINGS SUIT CHARGING CRUELTY
Extreme and repeated cruelty was charged by Mary Louise Hill in a divorce suit filed here against Donald Lee Hill, to whom she was married Aug. 9, 1948. They lived together until March 5, 1949. The plaintiff is represented by M. Brooks Byus, attorney.

WOODSON AID TO MEET
The Woodson Ladies' Aid of the Christian church will meet Friday at 2 p.m. with Mrs. Ida Megginson. Mrs. Charles Newman will be devotional leader.

Legion Auxiliary
Meets At Chapin

The Chapin Legion Auxiliary held its monthly meeting at the I.O.O.F. hall in Chapin, with 17 members present. The meeting was conducted by Mrs. Irene Baker.

The kitchen show for the American Legion Home was discussed and it was decided to help get silverware for the Legion. Another gold star mother became a member of the unit.

The next meeting will be held Wednesday, April 20, at the I.O.O.F. hall. All members are urged to be present.

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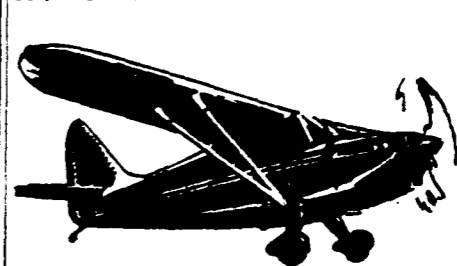
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Golden Wedding Date Observed By Durbin Couple

About 150 guests, including many who had attended their wedding 50 years ago, were present at an open house held by Mr. and Mrs. George Ebbrey on their golden wedding anniversary, March 16.

The event took place at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Barrows, in the Durbin community. Another son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Schneider of Columbus, Ohio, were also present for the occasion.

Assisting the hostess were Mrs. John Ebbrey, Mrs. B. F. Wilson, Mrs. Linnie McCormick, Mrs. Grace McDewitt, Mrs. Samuel Darley, Mrs. J. O. Rolston, Mrs. John Cully, Mrs. Dimmitt Trotter, Mrs. Earl Traver and Mrs. Dillard Fitzsimmons. The guests were registered by Mrs. Paul Nolan.

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CHANDLERVILLE

Chandlerville—Dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Jurgens were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jurgens and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Taylor. The occasion was the birthday anniversary of the twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jurgens, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Anderson and children and Mrs. Hoon of Brooks, Ind., visited here over the week end with Mrs. Hoon's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Burdette Hoon. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shankland of Mt. Sterling spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ora Shankland. Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Beard and family and Mr. and Mrs. James Mervin and family spent Sunday with relatives in Alton.

Mr. and Mrs. Urban Waddell of Springfield visited Sunday with Mr. Waddell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Waddell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Whitley and daughter of Oakford were business callers here.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sarff of Peoria spent the week end here with Mrs. Sarff's parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Harper.

Mrs. Clifford Cook and son, Jimmie, recently spent the day in Beardstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Siltman spent Sunday in Havana.

Mrs. Eleanor Gehlards visited with friends in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Vette and daughters were shoppers in Jacksonville.

NAPLES

Naples—Katherine and Tommie McKinsey, students at the Illinois School for the Deaf in Jacksonville, spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis McKinsey.

Howard Savols attended the state basketball tournament finals in Champaign Saturday.

Larry Mann of Pekin visited Sunday with his brother, Thomas C. Mann.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Quevado and family of Alton were weekend visitors at the home of her mother, Mrs. Marie Felton.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Smith and Miss Eula Baumgardner visited Marion Hullinger at Our Saviour's hospital Sunday.

Don Hall of Meredosia is spending a few days at the home of his sister, Mrs. Clinton Welch.

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Chandlerville—Mrs. Joe C. Lintner entertained members of her bridge club at her home here. Three tables were in play, with prizes being won by Mrs. Russell Sarff, high, Mrs. Louise Davidsmeier, second, Miss Louise Neff, travelers, and Mrs. Paul H. Abbott, low.

Guests present were Mesdames Miles McDonald, Paul H. Abbott, Burdette Hoon, Dale Huffman, Russell Sarff, Louise Davidsmeier, Ruel Eichenauer, Robert Boensel, and the Misses Lucille Gamsr, Louise Neff and Kathryn Mae Wahlfeld.

The 500 club met with Mrs. Edna Mae Gasper. The prize-winners were Mrs. Laverne Shores, first, Mrs. Raleigh Marr, second, and Mrs. Robert Boensel, low. Refreshments were served. Present were Mesdames Ernest Blair, Kenneth Wiseman, William B. Cook, Raleigh Marr, Laverne Shores, Cecil Stone, Robert Boensel, R. F. Harbison, Lester Marr and Elmer Lynn.

The Panther Creek Home Bureau Unit met at the home of Mrs. Glen Granbois, with 13 members and two guests present. Roll call was answered with "A Household Hint." The health topic, "Teeth," was discussed by Mrs. Howard Tucker. Mrs. Lloyd Geiss gave the minor lesson, "History of Cass County." The major lesson, "The United Nations," was presented by Mrs. Francis King, home adviser.

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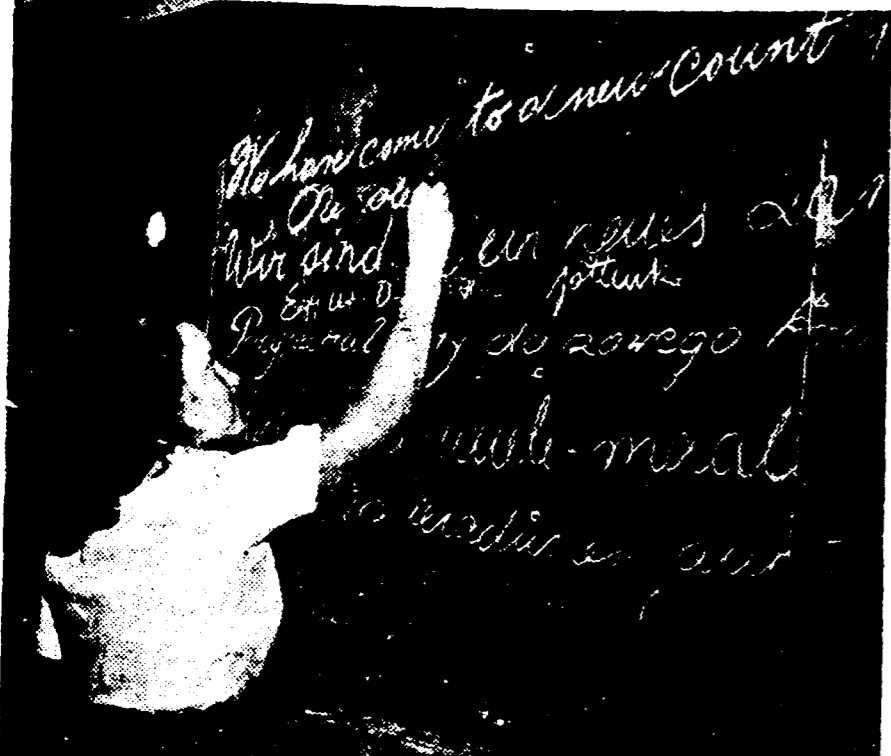
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Victorian Lady Sets The Style

By EPSIE KINARD
NEA Fashion Editor
New York—(NEA)—Fashion's idol this Easter is the Victorian lady. Her influence on finery will be seen in gloves with ruching-ringed thumbs bedecked with bowknots, in the lacy look of shoes and invisible stockings, and in the last feminine word in handbag designs.

More evidence is in the prevalence of the Victorian cape, which bows back as a pelerine, a jib jacket, or a bolero with slit sleeves spreading over arms like butterfly wings.

Designer Paul Parnes interprets the latter with gray woolen, and lines the snug bodice and flyaway sleeves of this "butterfly bolero" with surah silk, matched to the fabric of a gray and white print dress.

Gloves of double-woven cotton, designed to put on a Victorian show of hands, bring back the frills of contrast bows and ruching, eyeleted thumbs, pleated cuffs and scalloped doo-dads.

Handbags designed by Dofan for a double-take, will be looked at twice this Easter because twins are hooked up into one style. One bag is white calf, the other is navy.

Shoes with an airy look owe their delicately interlaced allure to a strap here, a strap there. Black patent leather sandals are teamed with almost invisible nylon stockings.

These are almost as exactly harmonized to costume colors as face powder is to skin tones. Sheer-as-vapor nylons, Paris-styled by Schiaparelli, are designed to enhance the view seen through the straps of a shoe. To keep stockings welts from spoiling the show, sole heel and toe reinforcements are almost invisible.

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The Victorian influence on Easter fashions is seen in the ensemble modeled above, in the close-ups of accessories described at left. The gray woolen 'butterfly bolero' of the ensemble gets its name from its full, wing-like slit sleeves. Bolero is lined to match the gray and white print dress of silk surah.

MURRAYVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph DeGroot, Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph DeGroot, Jr., and sons, Eddie Joe and Larry, of Jacksonville, and Mr. and Mrs. John Carwell were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Lewis. Mr. and Mrs. James Laurie, Mrs. Olan West and daughter, Marie, of Jacksonville visited here with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Heintzel.

Brown and sons were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Coumbes and family.

Mrs. Ethel Hutton of Jacksonville visited here with Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Spencer.

POLISH FORESTRY PUSHED
Warsaw, Poland—(P)—The Polish ministry of forestry announced approximately 200,000 acres of lands would be re-forested this year. The tree-planting program represents an increase of 38% over 1948.

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DURBIN

Durbin — Mr. and Mrs. William Rees visited Sunday with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Don Davis at Belleville.

Mrs. Fredaline Phillips of Jacksonville visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pinkerton.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Oxley were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Oxley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George McLain visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mildred Rees.

Mr. and Mrs. James Mora of California have been visiting Mrs. Mora's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Gibbs this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Browning, and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Brubaker and daughter, Rose Marie, of Girard visited Thursday with Mrs. J. W. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Carpenter and Mrs. Edith Carpenter were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Carpenter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfres Fields and family moved recently from Pearl to the house owned by Jerry Langdon west of Durbin church.

Mr. and Mrs. John Oxley and Mrs. Anna Ranson visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. John Hall at

Palmyra.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashton Muelhausen and Mr. and Mrs. William Edwards of Jacksonville were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pinkerton.

Miss Lois Smith, a student of Illinois College, is spending her spring vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Smith.

Chris Bernt and Mrs. Blankenship and children of Springfield were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pinkerton.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Mason of near Jacksonville and Mrs. Anna Mae Scott visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Darley.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Twyford and family called on Mr. and Mrs. Cland Donaldson and family of Virginia Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brummitt and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lindsay and Lois Francis of Jacksonville were visitors Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Prince Francis.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Raymond C. Allen to Jack Doyle Fleetwood part lot 7 in block 1 of Lurton & Kedzie south addition.

Jack Doyle Fleetwood to Louis M. F. Wohlers, same.

John B. Wright, master-in-chancery, to Alpha B. Applebee lots 98 to 106, inclusive, Duncan Grove addition, city.

Edward Goldstein to Roy L. Ittenbach lot 10 in John R. Davis addition, city.

Albert Doller to Henry D. Doller lot 3 in Eggs subdivision of lot 2 in block 21, city.

Claude Ross to Albert A. Mosley part west half southeast quarter 9-13-8.

Fred H. May to William Boyc metes and bounds in 22-16-13.

Marian Parlier to Dora C. Edward part lot 1 in subdivision of lot 133 addition to Waverly.

WINCHESTER

The Child Study Department of the Winchester Woman's club originally scheduled to meet at the home of Mrs. W. E. Harper, will meet instead at the Legion Building at 7:30 p.m., Wednesday.

Mrs. Allan Peak entertained members of her bridge club at her home Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hainsfurther were St. Louis visitors Sunday.

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Jive Jibes: German Night Clubs Feed On Double Talk

By DANIEL DE LUCE
(AP) Newsfeatures

Duesseldorf, Germany — Drums throb ominously. Suddenly a curtain parts. Adolf Hitler strides on the stage.

A hundred Germans in a crowded Ruhr backroom look in stunned silence at the Fuhrer. One starts to clap. The others break into loud guffaws.

When they are by themselves in 1949, the character of the mad corporal can become a wry joke to many a

Germans. If you want a line on what they are thinking, skip the editorials and public speeches. Just drop into a cabaret-theater for an evening.

Political Humor Is Main Fare

Political humor is the main fare. It is bitter, cynical and sharp—yet too elusive for foreign military censors to punish. Everybody in the world has feet of clay for a German joke-smith. There are no idols that can't be smashed.

With saucy double-talk, a twist of phrase, the Germans spoke ridicule

at the Allies and often at themselves. It is like a safety-valve for the pent-up feelings of an outcast people under the dictates of their conquerors.

The Hitler who swaggers out on a makeshift Ruhr stage winds up embracing another character resembling Stalin. A gum-chewing Aml, a flutist Polu, and a dull-faced Tommy wring their hands helpless.

In another West German skit, cards are held up with the words: "Never Again a War." One player shyly turns over the last card. The word "Lost" is on the back.

Germans Needle Bureaucrats

The bare mention of "democratization" sends German cabaret-goers into gales of laughter. It has been dinned into their ears by Allied

officialdom so much that it has come to stand for all the arbitrary acts ever committed by military government.

In needling themselves, the Germans usually pick on stiff-necked bureaucracy, haughty class-consciousness, and greedy black marketing.

Political cabarets are more numerous in several western cities than the ordinary type of night club, where girl hoopers in scanties imitate the pre-war steps of Ginger Rogers, the band fumbles with jazz, and cocktail cost as much as \$2 in marks.

In a political cabaret, you can't get a cocktail. But you get food for thought.

CARROLLTON

Carrollton—Mrs. Elmer Garrison underwent an appendectomy Friday in the Boyd Memorial hospital. Elmer Heath of Jerseyville is employed in the produce department of the local Kroger Store.

Mrs. C. H. Borlin entertained at dinner Sunday at her home honoring her husband who was celebrating his birthday.

The very Rev. Michael Enright, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Johnson, Miss Harriet Johnson, B. W. Mehl and T. Carmody went to Shipman Sunday to attend the dedication ceremonies for the newly erected Catholic church there. The newly installed Bishop W. O'Connor conducted the ceremonies.

Miss Martha Admire and Miss Wanda Keesler of Alton spent the weekend here with the former's mother, Mrs. Grace Admire.

Miss Anna Mae Carter of St. Louis spent the weekend here with her mother, Mrs. George Clough.

Miss Martha Dell Bishop of Alton was a weekend guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bishop.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wolfley and sons will leave Friday on a motor trip to Lake Worth, Fla., where they will remain until April 10. Returning home they will move April 15 to an apartment in White Hall where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pointer and children of Alton were guests Sunday of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hubbard.

Mr. and Mrs. George Green and son left Tuesday for Pasadena, Texas, where they will visit their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. T. Weatherly.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Raper left Monday for Spring Valley, Ohio where they were called to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. A. W. McLean of El Paso, Texas.

Mrs. Ivan Beebe entered the McCleary Clinic Hospital at Excelsior Springs, Mo., Sunday for treatment.

FANCY SALOON NAMES CAUSE TROUBLE

Becontree, England—(AP)—The English like to call their pubs (saloons) by fancy names, like "The Marquis of Queensberry," and the practice sometimes leads to confusion.

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Greene Co. Farm Bureau Receives 61 New Members

Carrollton—Sixty-one new members were received into membership in the Greene County Farm Bureau during the membership drive held last week. A larger number is expected to join the organization before April 1.

The follow-up meeting of the drive was held in the Farm Bureau hall, with a banquet served by the ladies of the Patterson-Hillview Home Bureau unit. Attendance prizes were given and a complete tool chest was given to Coy Mansfield. Fifty-one men attended the follow-up meeting and 57 were present at the kick-off banquet.

R. O. Lyons, agricultural 4-H club specialist from the University of Illinois will lead the discussion at a 4-H leaders and sponsors meeting which will be held here Wednesday evening, March 23, in the Farm Bureau hall.

Two agricultural 4-H clubs were organized last week. Leslie Bean was named president of the Kane Agricultural club, of which George Cory is leader. The other officers were Tommy Shafer, vice president, and Paul Raddy, secretary-treasurer.

Donald Masters was named president of the Greenfield Topnotchers club, with Robert Hettick as vice president; Miss Carol Kinser, secretary-treasurer and reporter, and Miss Alice Hettick, recreation director. Robert Hettick was named delegate to the 4-H Club Federation. The club leader is Ray Fosse, W. H. Brown, Jr., county farm adviser, assisted in organizing both clubs.

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Medical Society To Hold Cancer Symposium Here

The first cancer symposium to be held for physicians of the Sixth Council district of the Illinois State Medical Society is scheduled for the afternoon and evening of March 31 in the Dunlap Hotel, in Jacksonville, according to Dr. F. Garm Norbury of this city, councillor of the district.

In announcing the symposium, which is sponsored jointly by the Sixth Council District and the Illinois Division of the American Cancer Society, Dr. Norbury said that all physicians from the district's eleven counties as well as doctors from adjoining Sangamon county will be invited to attend.

Counties included in the district are Adams, Brown, Cass, Pike, Morgan, Scott, Calhoun, Greene, Macoupin, Jersey and Madison.

The symposium will begin at 3:00 p. m. with the following specialists, all of whom are associated with outstanding Chicago medical centers, as speakers: Dr. Leo M. Zimmerman, assistant professor of surgery, Northwestern Medical School; Dr. H. E. Davis, director of the tumor clinic, Henrotin Hospital; Dr. Walter W. Carroll, surgeon on the staffs of Chicago Passavant and Memorial Hospitals; Dr. Warren H. Cole, professor of surgery, University of Illinois College of Medicine.

Dr. Mary Louise Newman of Jacksonville, secretary of Morgan County Medical Society, is in charge of local arrangements.

ADDRESS CONVENTION

Richard Hornbeck of Ottawa, Ill., has returned from Bloxi, Miss., where he addressed a national convention of insurance underwriters. Mr. Hornbeck and family are former residents of Jacksonville.

ROGER THE LODGER

By Elizabeth R. Roberts

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THE STORY: Public pressure and the housing shortage combine to give Mr. and Mrs. Roberts, who have a son in the Navy, young Sergeant Phillips as a lodger. It is early in the war and the sergeant makes himself completely at home. Wanting to be hospitable, they invite Roger to their living room and Roger tells his background and says that the place offers him so many advantages that he has decided to stay.

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THE conversation was rapidly approaching the Department of Dirty Linen, and Rob, who when embarrassed directs his attention to the floor, was assiduously studying the toe of his shoe. Even I, famed for talking too much, could think of nothing to say. It was our hostess of the evening who broke the uncomfortable silence. She phoned to say she had had a last-minute disappointment. We didn't know of a single man who might fill in, did we?

Her voice was of the carrying type; every word she spoke to me was plainly audible in the room. The sergeant, I noticed, heard the news with a glad, expectant smile. Rob sat nodding his head importantly, like a big-time realtor closing a deal. "Tell her," he said, "we'll bring the extra man."

When I rejoined the men, Phillips whistled softly. "Pretty!" he said. "Mighty pretty."

In my youth other little girls, dressed in their best and heading for children's parties, were kissed by their mothers and told how pretty they looked. Time after time I called for a little friend and heard her mother, perking up her hair ribbon, puffing out her sleeves, say, "Dear, you look very pretty. Have a good time at the party." Finally, I could bear it no longer. Having called for my little friend and heard her mother admire her as usual, I swung by my own house en route to the party and, on the pretext of picking up a forgotten handkerchief, skipped in for a parade in front of my mother. I perked up the tiny hair ribbon

bons tied to my two braids—braids so tight they lifted my eyebrows in a perpetual expression of inquiry—puffed out my sleeves, even wiped the dust from each Mary Jane sandal onto the back of the other leg, twirled slowly before my mother's apathetic gaze, and, when she had said nothing and I couldn't stand it another minute, cocked my head wishfully and breathed, "How do I look?"

"Handsome as is handsome does," she said.

I DIDN'T fare any better at the hands of my friends. Trade-lasts in lower school, in exchange for "George says you're pretty," produced "Teacher says you're obedient." It got no better in high school. There a big compliment was that my hair, no longer tightly braided, was nice or that I had a well-turned elbow. But this boy, practically at sight, said I was pretty. I wasn't going to forget that.

The party was unusually large for a wartime dinner; even so, before we arrived the word had spread that the Roberts' had a lodger, and he was greeted as Roger the Lodger. The sergeant was addicted to saying "Roger," even though he was not a pilot but was attached to Headquarters Company. In the years that followed we had two Rogers, both lawfully baptized so, but they were never known to us by that name. Our one Roger was Roger, our first, and to the end, lodger.

I was a little anxious for Roger, catapulted into the midst of a roomful of strangers, middle-aged people of moderate means, where as he was not only young but impetuous and non-commissioned as well. He seemed to feel the contrast, for he went elegant on us again, holding himself stiffly, wearing a lofty expression, bowing from the waist as he was presented to the ladies, shaking hands with the gentlemen (myre than one immediately after that clasp

of fellowship examined his fingers surreptitiously), and between introductions maintaining a watchful silence.

SIMULTANEOUSLY, with the advent of cocktails, he snatched a tray of oysters and, with the warmest of welcomes, the guests to a table. When supper was over, he asked our hostess whether she would permit him to carve the turkey or the ham, explaining that he was equally good at either. He carved the turkey.

When our host, whose accepted prerogative had always been the Pope's nose and both oysters, had finished serving the ham and all of the guests were seated, he approached the turkey carcass. Daintily he turned the bird over; a little more concernedly he pored through the scraps on the platter; finally he laid down the carving knife and fork and went from table to table, ostensibly to inquire whether every guest were amply served; but we knew well enough what he was looking for. As he abandoned search, I heard him mutter, "Gad, I don't see where they went." I'd seen where they went: Roger had polished off those tidbits in the twinkling of an eye.

Next morning Roger appeared upstairs a little before church time, knocking lightly on the kitchen door beyond which I was scurrying to cook breakfast. He inquired which would be easier for me: to have him drive me to church and return with a nice warm car—or to have him drive me to church and wait at home until time to pick me up again.

I expostulated that it wouldn't be necessary for him to do either, that I was accustomed to managing all by myself, but he cut me off with a lordly gesture. The question, he said, was: which would be easier for me, to have him drive me to church and return with a nice warm car or for him merely to drive me to church and wait at home until time to pick me up again. I chose the novelty of a warm car.

(To Be Continued)

Woman's Club At Literberry Names Officers

Officers were elected by the Literberry Woman's club at its meeting held with Miss Lora Petefish. Mrs. Esther Petefish was chosen president. Others named were Mrs. Nona Stice, vice president—Mrs. Freda Mallicoat, secretary; Mrs. Lela Daniels, treasurer; Mrs. Anna Rexroat, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Elizabeth Lindsay, reporter.

During the business session, conducted by Mrs. Margaret Myers, donations were voted for the proposed Passavant Memorial Area hospital and the Red Cross. Mrs. Rexroat led in the pledge to the flag. The club collect was read by Mrs. Daniels. Members responded to roll call by giving "A Household Hint."

Mrs. Myers introduced Mrs. George Self who gave a talk on "UNESCO."

Mrs. Stice had charge of the recreational period. Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Cleve Butler was a guest.

The April meeting will be held with Mrs. Emma Parry.

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Friends and members of the church enjoyed a social hour and basket dinner at the noon hour. Dinner plans and preparations were under the supervision of the Intermediate class and their teacher Mrs. Beatrice Weghoff. Short talks by each of the boys on their personal experiences in the home. Enlightening and entertaining facts in connection with the work of the home was given by Mrs. Stubbs.

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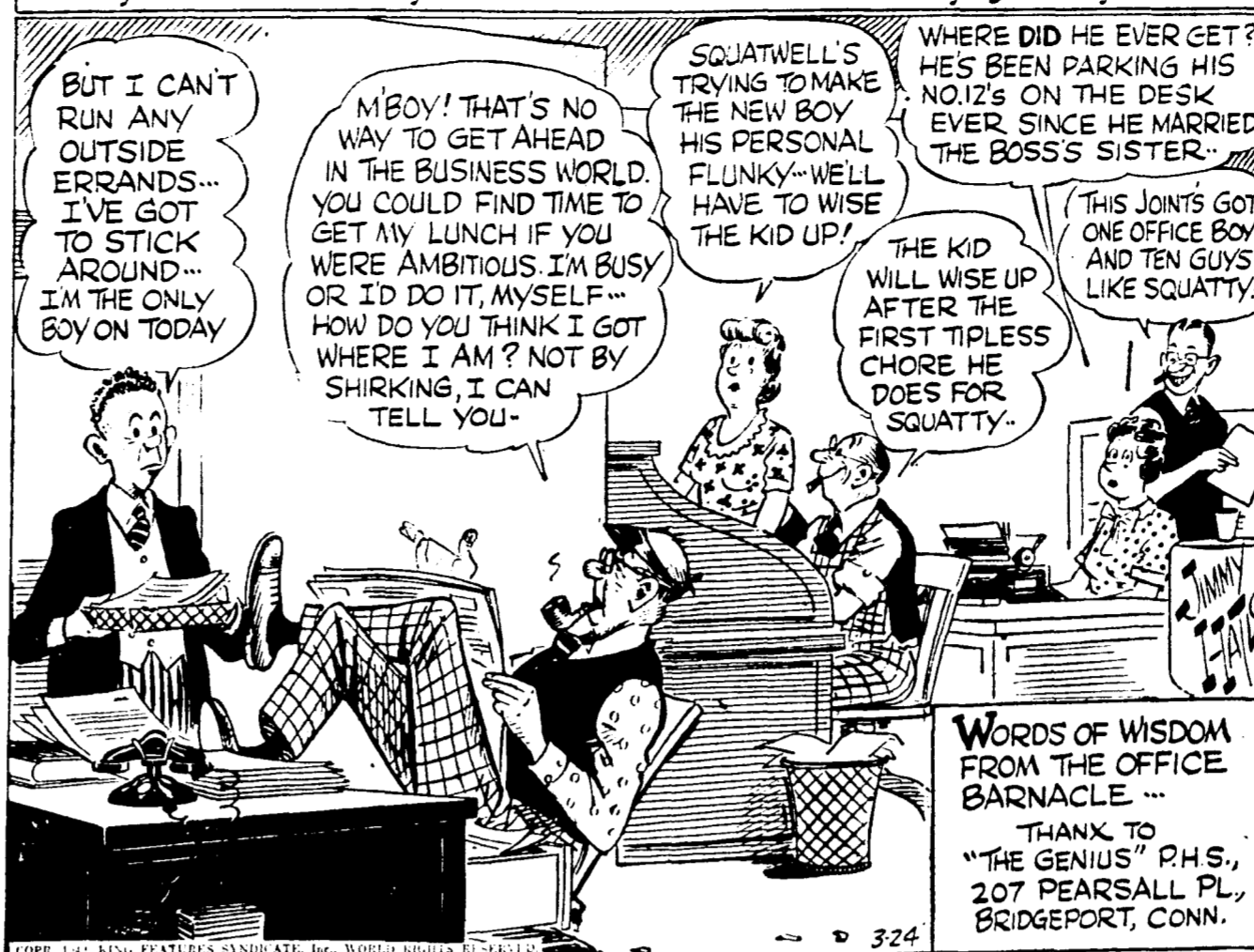
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Ellsworth B. Marshall, Bud Reuttschler, John E. Bringle and Bernard Unken were admitted to membership. Reinstatements received from Thos. J. Doyle and Frederick H. Rowe, Jr.

The post voted to contribute to the Crippled Childrens Fund and approved a welfare and service program for members in good standing as outlined and presented by Ross Cox, service officer of the local post.

The post also voted to endeavor to adopt a plan whereby a group hospital insurance program would be offered and available for all members and their families who desire to participate and who were not otherwise covered by such a plan.

The sick committee reported that Wilson L. Cummings had recently been discharged from the Jefferson Barracks Veterans hospital and is again at home.

The entertainment committee announced that there will be a free oyster-stew supper for all paid up members on next Tuesday night, March 29th and that following the supper there will be an Indoor Carnival. The activity committee stated that there will be a round and square dance Saturday night at the Amvets Hall. It was also announced that plans were being formulated for a "Stag & Hag Fish Fry" to be held soon.

Russell Armstrong announced a meeting of the "Dept. of Illinois Amvets Educational Committee" coming Sunday. A number of members volunteered to participate in the military services for Pfc. Howard Leigh Klinghammer whose funeral services will be held Sunday at the Gillham Funeral Home at 12 noon. Interment will be in Ramsey cemetery at Ramsey, Ill.

The attendance prize was won by C. P. Siegfried and following the business session, Amvets and Auxiliary members enjoyed a musical program presented by Marion Woods, co-chairman of the entertainment committee. The program consisted of vocal numbers by the Superior Quartet, composed of Carl Keehner, Pat Lilly, Rex Wynn and Red Woods, and novelty numbers by Donna Clayton and Tommy Joe Farrell, accompanied by Mrs. Lorraine Farrell. Following the entertainment refreshments were served.

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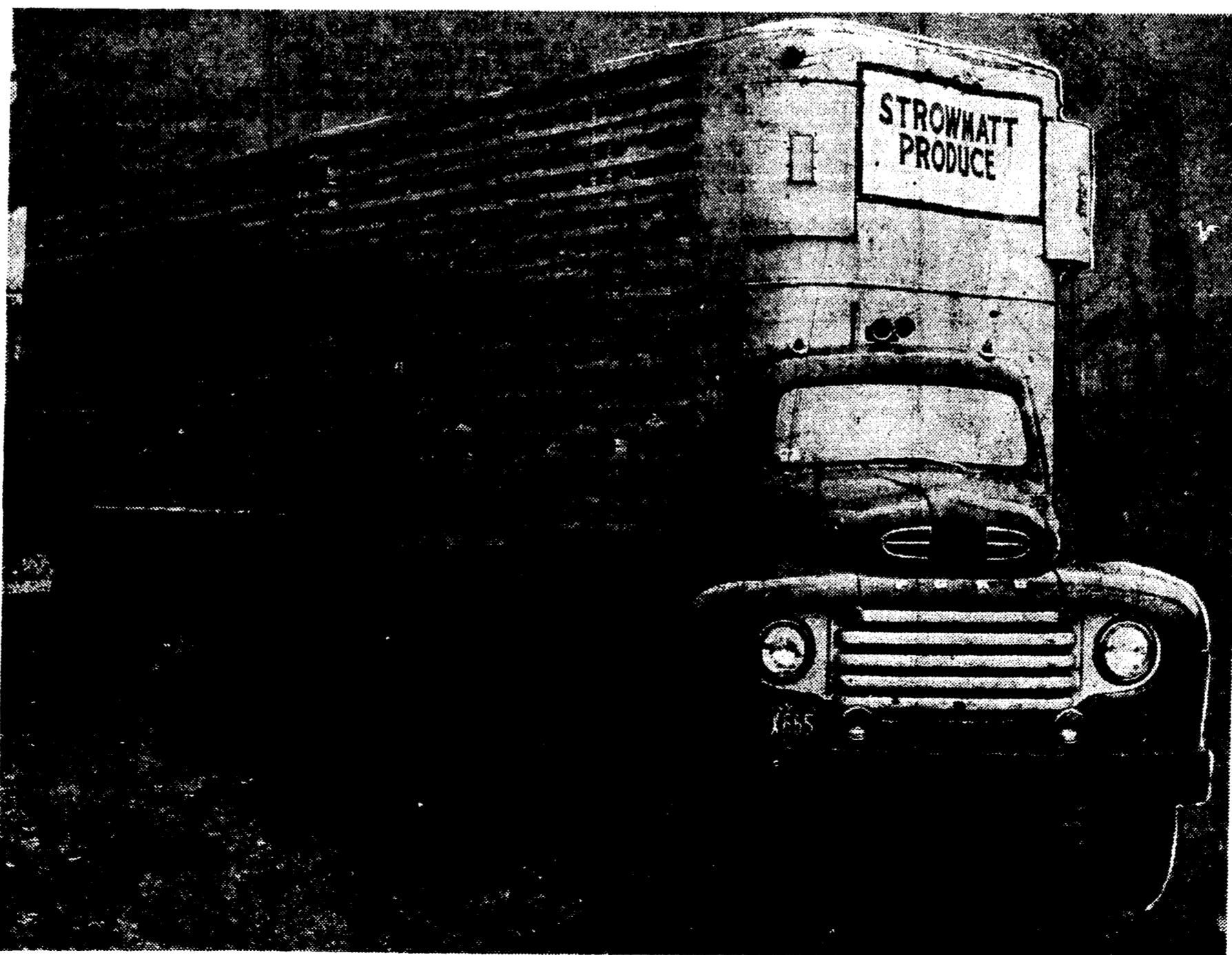
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Pittsfield School To Hold Guidance Program Mar. 25

Pittsfield, Ill.—A guidance conference for the juniors and seniors of Pittsfield Community Unit District 10, consisting of Pearl, Nebo, Milton and Pittsfield high schools, will be held Friday, March 25, at the Pittsfield school.

The conference was called by J. H. Voshall, superintendent of the com-

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munity unit, for the purpose of acquainting the students with various occupations and professions they might wish to learn more about.

Committee members in charge of the conference are A. E. Metternich, chairman; A. V. Collins, principal of Nebo high school; A. I. Bolton, principal of Milton high school, and Mrs. Katherine Meisenbach, principal of Pearl high school.

Specialists have been secured from the University of Illinois and other institutions to speak during the day. The guest speakers will include Dr. R. R. Hudeston, assistant dean of the U. of I. College of Agriculture; Frank Sullivan, director of public relations, Parks Air College, East St. Louis; Mrs. E. M. Crawford, Quincy Beauty Academy; Janet L. Weston, assistant professor of economics, U. of I.; H. L. Jordan, assistant dean of the College of Engineering, U. of I.; Dorothy F. Durrell, instructor in home economics, U. of I.; D. E. Brown, assistant professor of Journalism, U. of I.; G. B. Weisiger, professor of College of Law, U. of I.; Staff Sgt. James H. Wright, U. S. Marine Corps, Springfield, Ill.; Dr. H. C. Gebhart, M. D., professor of hygiene, U. of I.; Hugh Beggs, head of the piano department at MacMurray College, Jacksonville; Chief V. H. Rohrbacher, U. S. Navy Recruiting officer, Hannibal, Mo.; Miss Mary Anderson, director of school nursing, St. Mary's hospital, Quincy; Merritt Milligan, program director of radio station WTAD, Quincy; H. E. Kenney, assistant professor in physical education for men, U. of I.; T. E. Musselman, Gem City Business college, Quincy; Harold Ave, assistant professor in education, Western Illinois State College, Macomb; Dr. D. L. Shutt, assistant dean of men U. of I.; Commander C. P. Callahan, U. S. Navy recruiting office, St. Louis, Mo.

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MISS BETTY WRIGHT

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley H. Wright of North Hollywood, Calif., formerly of this city, have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Betty Lou, to Jack Ogg, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Perkins, also of North Hollywood.

The couple plan an early summer wedding.

Miss Wright, also a former resident of this city, was graduated from North Hollywood High school. Her fiancé graduated from Fairfax High school and later attended the University of California at Los Angeles.

Social Events

Alpha Pi Chapter Holds Pledge Service

Members of Alpha Pi Chapter of Alpha Iota sorority held a pledge service Tuesday evening at the Hardin Brown Business College for 13 students who are eligible for initiation into the sorority.

Before the pledge service, Miss Esther Wilding of MacMurray College gave a humorous reading entitled "Old Junk and New Money." Ice cream molded in the sorority colors of blue and white and small individual cakes featured the refreshment course.

Students who participated in the pledge service were Mildred Beard, Donna Boes, Mary Cosgriff, Shirley Dean, Alberta DeOrnellas, Dorothy Hudson, Louise Kelly, Tena Rust, Rose Steinberg, Peggy Stubbfield, Mary Lou White, Jean Wilding and Alberta Wise.

Present Alpha Pi members who attended the service were Lois Brannan, Virginia Darwent, Lois Sample, Ellen Tazwell, Mary Virginia Tazwell, Mary Louise Ward, Doris Souza, Phyllis Cockin, Beulah Wohlers, and Paula Dean.

19 Members, Two Guests At Group Meeting Tuesday

Nineteen members and two guests were present at the meeting of Group Two of the Woman's Council of Central Christian church held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Margaret Stout, 614 South Prairie street.

The leader, Mrs. Elmer Crabtree, had charge of the meeting. Mrs. Ed Kitzer, spiritual life chairman, led devotions, using as her subject, "The Parable of the Talents." Mrs. Crabtree announced that the sacrificial luncheon would be held April 13 at the church.

Mrs. Dan Kelly, mission chairman, presented Mrs. Earl Underbrink, who gave the mission lesson on "China." Mrs. Harry Armstrong, the financial chairman, presented Mrs. Edwin Garlich, who gave the talk on "Stewardship."

At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Harry Armstrong.

The next meeting will be held April 26 at 2:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. J. F. Epler, 1058 West College avenue. Members are asked to note change in time.

Chicago, March 23.—(P)—About 80 Illinois communities will hold local option elections next month.

At least 53 communities which now have taverns are having campaigns in which the dry forces are seeking to vote them out. At least 23 others now are dry, and the wets are seeking to reverse the vote.

Forty-two of these elections are in cities and towns, where the vote will be April 19. The other 34 are in townships or road districts, where the election will be April 5.

The Rev. R. D. Dexeimer, superintendent of the Temperance League of Illinois, predicted the dries would win at least three-fourths of the 53 elections where the wets now hold sway. Two years ago, he said, the dries won 97 to 147 such elections in the state. At that time, he said, the wets sought to reverse the dries in 12 other communities "and we held all but three."

Mr. Dexeimer said he and other speakers would begin a campaign downtown about March 31.

He listed the following 77 local option elections and said the list was not quite complete:

Cities and towns:
Dries seeking to unseat wets—Aledo, Assumption, Birds, Carmi, Ellsworth, Fairmont, Glasgow, Lewistown, Thomson, Vandalia, Warren, Humboldt, Shabbona, Matherville, Marshall, Monmouth, Newton, Paxton, Pittsfield, Sandoval, Sidell, Heyworth, Atlanta, Ridgway, Shawneetown, Lafayette, Elizabethtown, and Elkhart.

Wets seeking to unseat dries—Grand Ridge, Colchester, Donovan Downs, Fairfield, Gorham, Greenup, Mahomet, Mansfield, McLean, Morris City, Oakland, Perry and Hettick.

Townships and road districts (county names also listed):
Dries seeking to unseat wets—Crooked Creek, in Cumberland county; Garrett, in Douglas; Naperville, in DuPage; Plainfield, in Will; Rector, in Saline; Roberts, in Marshall; Spring Garden, in Jefferson; Warren, in Jo Daviess; Western Mound, in Macoupin; White Hall, in Greene; Woodbury, in Cumberland; York in Clark; Ball, in Sangamon; Concord and Honey Creek, in Adams; Otter Creek, in Jersey; Tate in Saline; Farm Ridge, in LaSalle; Groveland, in LaSalle; Mississippi, in Jersey; Mayberry, in Hamilton; Sumpter, in Cumberland; South Dixon, in Lee; Steuben, in Marshall; and Laprairie, in Marshall.

Wets seeking to unseat dries: Beverly, in Adams; East Eldorado, in Saline; Friends Creek and Long Creek, in Macon; Ramsey, in Fayette; Sargent, in Coles; Gilmer in Adams; Emmanence and Atlanta, in Logan.

MURRAYVILLE

Murrayville — Mrs. Cary Andras was hostess to the Murrayville bridge club Monday night. Three tables were in play throughout the evening. Prizes were won by Mrs. William Andras, Mrs. Andy Orman, Mrs. C. F. Strang and Mrs. Ruth Van Tuyle. Mrs. Van Tuyle, Mrs. John Spencer and Mrs. J. Weir Elliott, Jr., of Jacksonville were guests.

The following have filed petitions for places on the Murrayville Consolidated Grade School board: Floyd Smith and David Million, for three year terms, Ball Fitzsimmons, for president, and Robert Whitlock for one year. Lyndall Symons has filed a petition for reelection to the high school board and Ben Willis to fill a vacancy.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gray and children and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pate and children were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Gray's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Palmer of Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith and Vera Lee were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Myers of Litchfield. Mrs. John Atkinson has been called to Indiana by the serious illness of her mother.

John Tendick of Brownsville, Texas, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Tendick, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Headles were dinner guests Sunday of Mrs. Kate Riley and family of near Ashland.

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CARNIVAL

By Dick Turner



"Latest bulletin from Moscow outlines People's Vacation Plan at government expense—slogan is 'Shoot off your mouth and see Siberia!'"

Local Rotarians To Hear Talk By Angus S. Mitchell

Several members of the Jacksonville Rotary club will go to St. Louis on Thursday, March 31, to hear Angus S. Mitchell of Melbourne, Australia, president of Rotary International, who will speak at a dinner meeting of the St. Louis club in the Gold room of Hotel Jefferson. His subject will be "Some Thoughts On My Country And Rotary."



ANGUS S. MITCHELL

H. L. Caldwell, president, and D. L. Hardin, secretary of the Jacksonville club, expect to attend the St. Louis meeting. They will be accompanied by several members.

Mr. Mitchell, who has been a member of the Rotary club of Melbourne since 1927, is a past president of that club and has served Rotary International as director, district governor, committee chair-

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man, and as an honorary trustee of the Rotary Foundation. During his visit to St. Louis, he will take part in dedication of the Friendship Tree, planted January 24, 1936 by Maurice Duperrey, of Paris, who was then President of Rotary International. Born in Shanghai, Mr. Mitchell went to Melbourne at the age of one year and has spent his entire life in Australia. He was co-founder of the firm of Mitchell and Bellair (later Mitchell, Bellair and Lees), grain and mercantile brokers of Melbourne and Liverpool. He is a director of Australian Cement Ltd., Noske Brothers, Pty. Ltd., and Queen's Bridge Motor and Engineering Company. He was one of the founders of the Melbourne Corn Exchange and is now an honorary life member. He is a director of the Melbourne Y. M. C. A., chairman of the Victorian Y.M.C.A. Defense Forces Committee, and chairman of the Portland Melbourne Youth Center.

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Charles-Walcott Bout For Heavyweight Title To Be Held In Chicago

Chicago, March 23.—(P)—Promoter Joe Louis will stage the Ezzard Charles-Jersey Joe Walcott showdown for his vacated world's heavyweight title in Chicago—right where he won it from Jim Braddock in 1937.

The date, probably in June, and the site—either at Chicago stadium, or one of the major league ball parks—will be worked out by Joe's international boxing club with the Illinois Athletic commission.

The selection of Chicago, over bids from Detroit, Pittsburgh, Philadelphia, Cleveland and Cincinnati, for the national boxing association version of the heavyweight crown, was announced at a news conference today.

New York, one of the two states

N. C. A. A. Matmen Begin Workouts For Tournament

Fort Collins, Colo., March 23.—(P)—The first arrivals for the N.C.A.A. wrestling tournament started working out at the Colorado A. & M. gym today.

The floor of the gym was covered with mats so the college wrestlers could stretch their muscles and get accustomed to the altitude.

The two-day event with 141 athletes entered from 36 colleges starts Friday.

Coach Fendley Collins' six-man Michigan State crew was the first to work out. It includes Richardson Dickinson, defending 146-pound champion, and heavyweight Robert Madigan, runner-up in last year's N.C.A.A. meet and the Olympic trials.

Madigan is expected to give Oklahoma A. & M.'s Richard Hutton a fight for the heavyweight crown he has won twice.

Other outstanding contenders in the heavyweight division include Thurman McGraw, Colorado A. & M., who was third last year, and three Big Ten grandees: Verne Gagne, Minnesota; Charles Gottfried, Illinois; and Robert Geigel, Iowa.

Dates Of Coming Events

March 24—Auction sale of International road tractor and truck 1:30 p. m. at Jim Leake's, 7 mi. N. W. of Jacksonville. Road Dist. No. 6, owner, Middendorf, auctioneer.

March 25—Food market 1 p. m. Hunters' Cleaners, Point W.S.C.S.

Mar. 25—Auction sale farm machinery, 11 a. m., 3301 E. N. Grand Ave., Springfield. Luke J. Gaule, manager and auctioneer.

March 26—Auction sale, furniture, 1106 W. Lafayette, 1 p. m. Donald Workman, owner, M. Beddingfield, auctioneer.

March 28—Auction sale, furniture, 1 p. m., 631 E. State, J. DeSollar, owner, Middendorf, auctioneer.

Mar. 26—Public Auction, 6 room house in Manchester, at premises 10 A. M. Roy Corrington, owner, Middendorf, auctioneer.

Mar. 28—Cafeteria supper, Monday at Christian church.

Mar. 28—Auction sale furniture, 1 p. m., 214 N. Church, E. A. Ranson, executor, deceased, E. A. Ranson, executor, Hugh Green, Attorney, Middendorf, auctioneer.

Mar. 31—Public sale, 1 p. m., 10 mi. S. E. of Jacksonville then 11 mi. S. off Route 104, livestock, implements, Chas. R. Gibson, owner, Middendorf, auctioneer.

April 1—Indoor carnival at Chapin high school, 7 p. m. Sponsored by Chapin Community P. T. A.

April 2—Food Sale at Hunters Cleaners—West State St. Sponsored by Ebenezer Church W.S.C.S.

April 6—Public sale, 45 registered Hereford cattle, 1 p. m. at Carrollton Sale Pavilion, Carrollton, Tri-County Hereford Ass'n, Seelys, auctioneer.

April 8—Fish supper Lynnville Christian church. By ticket only. Serving 5:30 to 7.

Apr. 9—Duroc boar and gilt sale, 7:30 P. M., 2 mi. W. of Jacksonville on U. S. route 36. H. Y. Potter and son, owners, Guy L. Pettit & Carman Y. Potter, auctioneers.

CLOSE 42 MINES

Springfield, Ill., March 23.—(P)—State inspectors closed 42 Illinois mines during 1948 for health and safety reasons, the state mines and minerals department reported today.

Mueller; Hughton, Parnell (6) and Tebbetts.

In the same period, a total of 66 miners were fatally injured compared with 204 the previous year.

outside NBA membership, has proposed an "elimination" tourney for Louis' title and will not recognize the Walcott-Charles winner as champion. Massachusetts is the other non-NBA state.

Louis, nattily dressed in a dark, blue double-breasted suit, also disclosed that his first promotional venture since he vacated the title on March 1, would be a bout at Detroit's Olympia the week of April 24.

Joe said he hoped to arrange a match then between feather-weight champion Willie Pep, on his recent title victim, Sandy Saddler, and "an outstanding feather performer."

Louis, although non-committal on the heavyweight title bout date, did not dodge a question on a possible June meeting.

"That month was awful good to me," grinned the 34-year-old retired champion. "That's when I won the title from Braddock at Comiskey Park here—June 22 in 1937."

The Illinois boxing commission, hearing the I.B.A. selection of Chicago, said it would call a special meeting, probably before Monday, to discuss plans for the fight.

The I.B.A., in which Wirtz and James D. Norris, Chicago Stadium and Detroit Olympia executives, are Louis' partners, has yet to obtain an Illinois license for operation. It's a foregone conclusion it will be granted by the Illinois commission.

Considering the Wirtz-Norris tie-up, an indoor setting at the Chicago stadium will might be arranged for the Walcott-Charles Mix. It was at the stadium, two years ago in July, that the middleweight title bout between Rocky Graziano and Tony Zale lured boxing's biggest indoor gate, \$432,000.

Pass Bill To Make Reformatory For Young Offenders

Springfield, Ill., March 23.—(P)—The Illinois Senate today passed one of a series of bills to establish a state reformatory for youthful offenders at Sheridan.

The bill was introduced by a 46 to 0 vote and sent to the House. It provides that youths between 10 and 21 convicted of a felony must be sent to the proposed reformatory, where psychiatric treatment would be available.

A companion measure appropriating \$2,000,000 to convert the Sheridan branch of St. Charles Training School for Boys into a reformatory has not been acted on as yet by the Senate.

Cardinals Wallop Detroit 6 To 0

Lakeland, Fla., March 23.—(P)—The St. Louis Cardinals turned in a 6-0 decision over the Detroit Tigers today for the Detroiters' second consecutive shutout. They bowed to the New York Yankees 1 to 0 in 11 innings yesterday.

Alpha Brazle and Ted Wilks, two of the Cardinals regulars, held Detroit to six singles. Rookie Saul Rogovin pitched the first five innings for Detroit and the one run he allowed, unearned in the fourth, made him the losing pitcher.

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Brazle, Wilks (6) and Caragiola; Rogovin, Kretlow (6), Overmire (9) and House.

Red Sox Down Cincinnati 5 To 3

Sarasota, Fla., March 23.—(P)—Tex Hughton, big Boston right-hander, made his second spring training effort a good one today as he twirled two hit, one run ball for the Sox who downed Cincinnati's Reds 5-3.

Lefty Mel Parnell went the last four innings for the Boston American leaguers and gave up only one hit.

Mel, however, issued two consecutive walks in the sixth. The Reds tied the two free passages with a pair of infield outs and a hit to right by Grady Hatton for two runs.

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CHICAGO LIVESTOCK MARKET REPORT

Chicago, March 23.—(P)—Lamb resumed their spotlight position in livestock trading today. Prices advanced 50 to 75 cents a hundred pounds, pushing the top to a new alltime high for winter at \$30.75. Cattle and hogs were steady to 25 cents higher.

Good and choice butcher hogs ranged from \$18.75 to \$21.75. The top reached \$22.00. Sows took \$15.50 to \$18.25.

A load of prime steers sold for \$30.00, matching the month's peak made March 2. This was the highest price since Jan. 26 when \$32.25 was paid. Most good to choice steers sold from \$24.00 to \$28.00 while common to low-good offerings merited \$21.00 to \$23.75. Choice Nebraska heifers brought \$26.00 and midwest to low choice kinds \$22.00 to \$25.25. Beef cows topped at \$20.00, sausage bulls at \$22.50, and vealers at \$29.00. Two loads of choice feeding steers brought \$25.25, the highest price for replacement material since December.

The previous peak for fed woolled lambs was made last Thursday at \$30.00 and since then the market had been fairly steady. Three other loads fetched \$30.35 today and clipped lambs with No. 2 pelts took \$28.00. Ewes continued at a \$14.00 top.

Receipts on sale included 7,500 hogs, 9,000 cattle, 500 calves, and 1,500 sheep.

GRAINS ADVANCE; LARD, SOYBEANS ALSO MAKE GAINS

Chicago, March 23.—(P)—Grains moved up in moderate dealings on the Board of Trade today. Soybeans and lard also scored gains, although March soybeans jumped about in an erratic trade. This was the last day for trading in March contracts.

Corn was the first grain to show a firm tone. Small arrivals of cash grain advanced spot market prices, brought buying into yellow corn figures. Reports of a rush to place corn under the government loan before April 1 also helped prices.

Wheat's gains were made largely in sympathy with corn, although the bread cereal also was helped by a small amount of hedge lifting on the part of mills. This reflected flour sales to Holland and Italy.

Receipts were: wheat 10 cars, corn 68, oats 50, soybeans 5.

Wheat closed 8-11 higher, May \$2.14-2.15, corn was 8-11 higher, May \$1.31-1.32, oats were 1-2 higher, May 68¢, rye was 8 to 1 cent higher, May \$1.28-1.29, soybeans were 1 cent lower to 2 1/2 higher, March \$2.21-2.20, and lard was 10 to 20 cents a hundred pounds higher, March \$11.65-11.60.

New York Stock Market

New York, March 23.—(P)—Buying interest in stocks picked up after a wobbly start in the market today.

Most morning declines were either erased or replaced with gains running to more than a point.

Turnover increased a bit as the price line curved upward, with turnover at the rate of around 900,000 shares for the full session.

Three of the morning's selling targets joined in the forward move. They were American Woolen, Gimbel Bros. and Magnavox. Fairly large morning losses were not fully recovered, however.

Higher most of the day were U. S. Steel, Republic Steel, General Motors, Studebaker, U.S. Rubber, Caterpillar Tractor, Schenley, Consolidated Edison, Phelps Dodge Copper, Westinghouse Electric, Pennsylvania R.R., Illinois Central, Standard Oil (N.J.) and Emerson Radio.

Tending to lag a trifle were Sears Roebuck, Woolworth, J. C. Penney and American Telephone.

Corporate bonds moved narrowly. U. S. Governments held steady in over-the-counter dealings.

East St. Louis Livestock

National Stockyards, Ill., March 23.—(P)—Hogs, 7,500; cattle, 1,500; sheep, 100.

Active: weights 180 lbs up 25 to 50 higher than Tuesday's average; lighter weights and sows steady to 25 higher; bulk good and choice 180-230 lbs 21.50-75; top 21.75; 240-270 lbs 20.50-21.50; 270-325 lbs 19.50-20.50; 140-170 lbs 19.50-21.25; 100-130 lbs 16.00-19.00; few 19.25; good sows 400 lbs down 17.75-19.25; over 400 lbs 16.00-17.50; stags 12.50-14.50.

Cattle 2,200; calves 700; opening trade about steady on steers with replacement buyers taking a number of consignments of medium and good quality offerings at 22.25-24.00; few loads and lots of medium and good slaughter steers 23.00-25.25; heifers and mixed yearlings opening about steady but somewhat slow; cows and bulls steady and vealers unchanged; medium and good cows 18.50-19.50; common and medium beef cows 16.50-18.00; canners and cutters 14.00-16.50; medium and good bulls largely 20.50-21.50; cutter and common bulls 17.50-20.00; good and choice vealers 27.00-33.00; common and medium 21.00-26.00.

Sheep 1,000; few sales good and choice woolled lambs steady at 29.50-30.00; market however not fully established; trading not as active as earlier in week; slaughter ewes steady; occasional sales good ewes 11.50-12.00; nothing choice present.

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DICKEY PICKS GORDON AS GRANDEST PLAYMAKER, DEFENSIVE INFIELDER; GOMEZ BEST HURLER TO WORK WITH

By DAN DANIEL
NEA Special Correspondent

St. Petersburg, Fla.—(NEA)—Conceivably, because the current complexion of the Yankees develops an acute nostalgia for the days of their titans, there has been an epidemic of all-star picking in the Yankees' St. Petersburg camp.

Two positions have aroused the greatest controversy. At third base, Red Rolfe or Joe Dugan? At second, Tony Lazzeri or Joe Gordon?

After casting a vote for Rolfe, it was decided to let Bill Dickey settle the keystone rhubarb.

The greatest of all catchers not only picked Gordon, but called him the greatest defensive infielder of his long experience in the American League. Dickey's vote was particularly interesting in view of the story, still persisting that Bill and Joe engaged in fistfights in the Pacific.

That yarn still is a fake. Had Legs Legs.

"In his prime, Gordon not only got Boudreau's jump on the ball, but added his amazing acrobatics, and the speed of a great pair of legs," Dickey explained.

"One of the big thrills in catching lies in your being the only player on the field with a line on every ball that is hit. I used to watch balls travel into Gordon's locality and say to myself, 'not even Joe can get that one,' only to see the incredible move and the throw to the base.

"Lazzeri was a marvelous hitter. But Gordon was the grandest playmaker and covered more ground than any other infielder I have ever seen."

Room For Catchers

Dickey has been coaching not only Yogi Berra, the famous automobile race driver of the Yankees in the mysteries of catching, but spent time with Joe Garagiola of the Cardinals, as well.

The old backstop out there in a Yankee uniform, coaching among 50 Cardinals, was an odd sight indeed.

"If I had my baseball career to go through all over again, I would be for a pair like that?"

What wouldn't Casey Stengel give for a pair like that?

Los Angeles.—(P)—Handy Andy Pafko, in the opinion of one strictly biased expert, is the finest right-handed hitter in the National League.

The expert is Manager Charlie Grimm, who happens to be Andy's boss on the Chicago Cubs.

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Outfield—Fine.
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Boston's Alvin Dark hit .322 last season to Pafko's .312.

But the 190-pound "Prushka" which is what Grimm calls Andy, hammered in 101 runs to Dark's 48, and the Cubs and Pafko will take that performance and let Alvin keep his heftier-swatting percentage.

Pafko also hit 26 homers to three for Dark.

Andy Will Play Center

Pafko will be back in centerfield this year. A sensation in center in 1947, Pafko was suddenly shifted to third base last year.

He had never played the position before—"I didn't know whether I could or not, but Charley said I could, so I did," says Andy—and despite the newness and strain of holding down a strange bag, he boosted his average, doubled his home run production from 13 and fielded well enough to gather 1,000,000 votes in the All-Star game selections for the third base job.

"And I see no reason why he shouldn't have an even better year," predicts Grimm, who is highly pleased to have landed Frankie Gustine from the Pirates to handle third basing.

"You've heard all about 'team players,' Grimm adds. "Well that's Pafko."

Heads Fine Outfield

Andy heads what Charley thinks is a fine array of outfield talent included are Harold "Jeff" Jeffcoat, who is expected to improve his .279 of last year; Harry (Pea-nuts) Lowery, a handy utility hand; Harry (The Hat) Walker, from the Phillies; Clarence Mader, a hold-over who may surprise the boys with a flash of the power hitting which distinguished his 1947 season with Los Angeles, and a couple of newcomers.

Brightest rookie of the lot in spring training is Cliff Abernson, a .329 swatter with Los Angeles last year before joining the Cubs at the tailend of the campaign. Grimm figures they can get the Cubs out of the cellar where they landed last season.

Phillies Whip Braves 5 To 4

Clearwater, Fla., March 23.—(P)—Gran Hamner drove in four runs, including a ninth-inning game winning tally, as the Philadelphia Phillies edged the Boston Braves 5-4 in an exhibition game today.

Three of the Braves' runs came on homers by Pete Reiser, Marv Rickert and Ray Sanders.

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Barrett, Beazley (4) Hogue (7) and Masi, Salkeld (6); Donnelly, Roberts (6) and Wagner.

Markets at a Glance

New York, March 23.—(P)—Stocks—Higher; volume expands as prices rise.

Bonds—Higher; rails improve. Cotton—Steady; mill buying.

Chicago

Wheat—Steady; export sales of flour.

Corn — Strong; cash prices advance.

Oats—Steady with grains.

Soybeans—Mixed; March lower; others higher.

Hogs—Steady to 25 cents higher; top \$22.00.

Cattle—Steady to 25 cents higher; top \$29.00.

TRY A CLASSIFIED AD



By John Campbell

Coach Harry Combes, head basketball coach at the University of Illinois, won the conference Honor medal in 1937, during his Senior year at Illinois for proficiency in athletics and scholarship, besides being awarded the Ralph Woods Memorial trophy for highest percentage of free throws made in conference games.

Bill Erickson of Rockford was elected Captain of the Illinois basketball team for 1950. Dwight Edelman 1949 team captain was chosen most valuable player for the past season.

Winchester high has laid claim to the all-time highest average score per game for one season in Illinois high school basketball games.

Coach Howard Lester's fine team did it in 1949 by scoring 2,071 points in 30 games, winning and losing four an average of 69.03 for the season.

Tacy Siders, winner of the Kincaid District and State meet last year in the 880 yard run for Tri-City high of Buffalo, is returning this year to defend his titles in these two meets. Gale Staples of Carrollton is the champion of the District to return this year as he won the Pole Vault at 11 ft. 11 in. at Kincaid in 1948.

All former coaches are invited to attend a banquet at Collinsville high sometimes in May. Principal Allen Metternich of Pittsfield is a former Collinsville coach. His 1941 team won the Sectional title but lost to Urbana in the Springfield Quarter-finals.

Plan Many Dinners For Coaches Of N. C. A. A. Finalists

Seattle, March 23.—(P)—Players scrambling for the N.C.A.A. basketball title here Saturday night probably will have to figure out their own strategy.

It's ten to one their coaches will show up with spots before their eyes—gravy spots.

There hasn't been such a stir in the mashed potato circuit since Governor Stevens broke camp bread with the Indians back in the 1850s.

Practically everybody is prepared to feed the visiting mentors in exchange for a few words of the great men's wisdom.

Alumni busting with pride and folding lettuce have had to wedge their testimonial dinners in between a banquet doubleheader.

Thursday night the Seattle Cougar club is staging a "basketball jamboree" and Friday evening the pugest sound sportswriters and sportscasters are free-throwing a viand and verb gathering for the head men.

Most popular knife and fork wavers, naturally, are the Big Four—the coaches of the teams in the Saturday night spotlight. These are Adolph Rupp of Kentucky, Hank Iba of Oklahoma A&M, Harry Combes of Illinois and Slat Gill of Oregon State.

Runs Into Trouble For Selling Beer A Nickel A Glass

New York, March 23.—(P)—Maybe there's no law against selling beer at a nickel a glass just because "spring is here."

But Sam Atkins, who is trying it at his tavern, found on the third day today:

1. One of his two major suppliers continued to refuse him deliveries, and took its sign out of his tavern window. It claimed he was giving unfair competition to other bars.

The other suppliers still would give him the extra beer: Sam feels it necessary to make his five-cent price work.

2. Six pickets from Local 15, AFL bartenders union, paraded in front of the tavern because, an official said, Sam had barmaids and "we don't think bars are proper places" for women to be employed.

3. Brewery drivers, Sam fears, now might refuse to deliver to his place because of the pickets.

4. A spokesman of the United Restaurant Liquor Dealers of Manhattan, an owners' association, denounced Sam's jitney beer because "it's ridiculous—"It's impossible—"taverns couldn't stay in business."

FALLS INTO CELLAR, FINDS HOUSE AFIRE

Onelda, Ill., March 23.—(P)—Mrs. Oscar Olson, 45, walked into the middle room of her home today after a trip to the grocery.

The floor collapsed and she plunged into the basement.

That was her first hint that the house was on fire.

She scrambled unhurt to a telephone and called firemen. They put out the cellar blaze.

TEXAS PASSES ANTI-RED BILL

Austin, Tex., March 23.—(P)—A House-approved resolution to effect communists from State Colleges was passed unanimously by the Texas senate without discussion today. The senate's action puts the resolution into effect immediately.

Adolph Rupp's Cagers Of Kentucky Are Best Defensive College Five

New York, March 23.—(P)—Although the honor is generally conceded to Oklahoma A. & M. Coach Adolph Rupp of Kentucky laid claim today to the best defensive team in college basketball.

The issue may be settled in Seattle, Wash., Saturday night when Kentucky and Hank Iba's Oklahoma Aggies clash for the NCAA championship.

"In my opinion, a team's defensive strength should be figured on point spread rather than on the number of points allowed," the Wildcat cage tactician said before departing with his team for the Pacific coast.

The National Collegiate Athletic Bureau rates the teams defensively on the average points yielded per game.

In this department, Oklahoma A. & M., which specializes in keeping the ball out of the enemy's clutches, is tops.

The Aggies, in all their season's games up to the NCAA playoffs, gave up an average of 33.8 points a game.

Kentucky allowed the opposition an average of 43.1—nearly ten more than did the Aggies.

But the Wildcats had the larger point spread—that is the margin between the average points scored a game and the average allowed.

Kentucky scored an average of 68.2 for a point spread of 25.1 points.

Los Angeles, Calif., March 23.—(P)—A seven run blast in the fifth inning enabled the Chicago Cubs to come from behind and proceed to an 8 to 6 victory over the Chicago White Sox today as the two clubs ended their California rivalry.

With the Cubs enjoying two triumphs to one, the two teams will resume their spring series in Chicago in a three-game set next month.

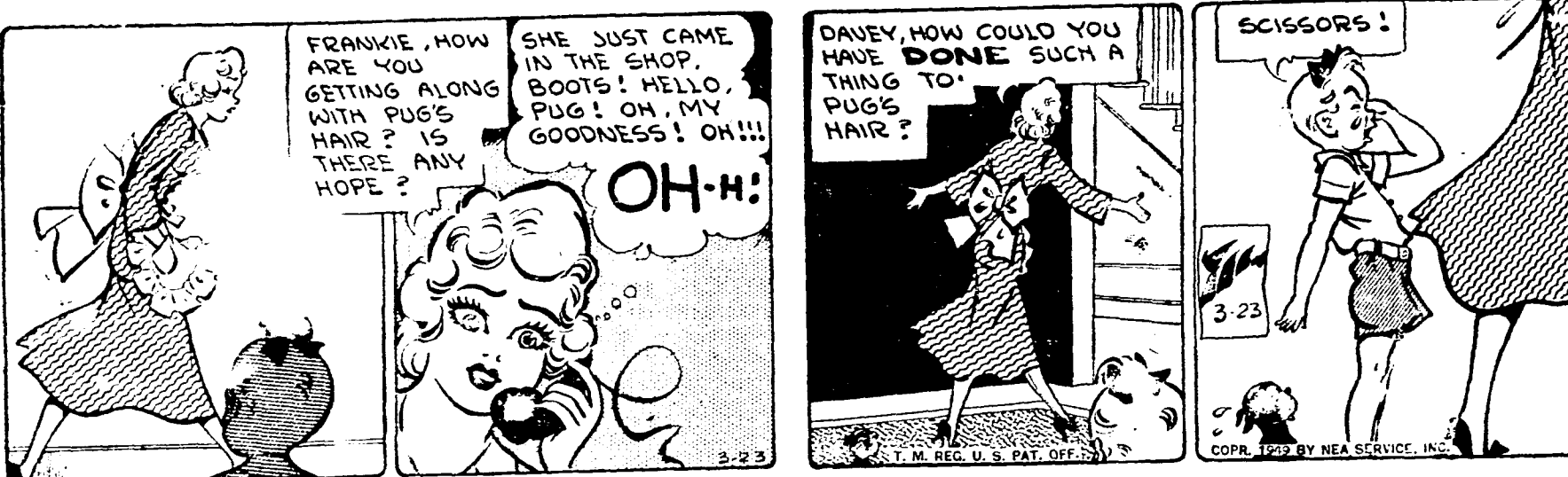
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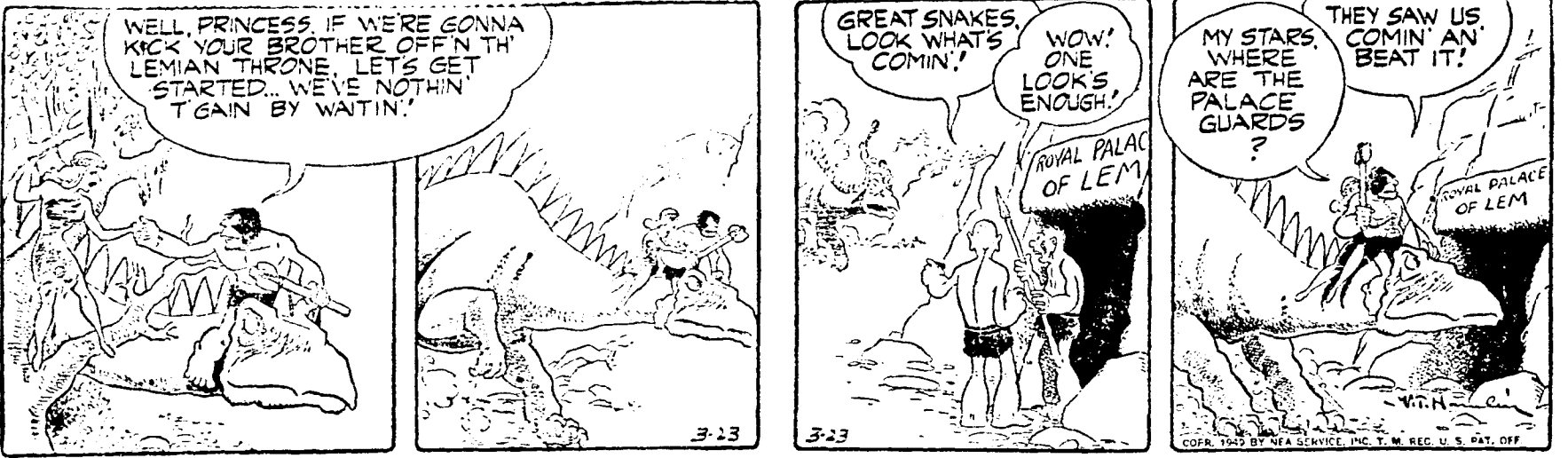
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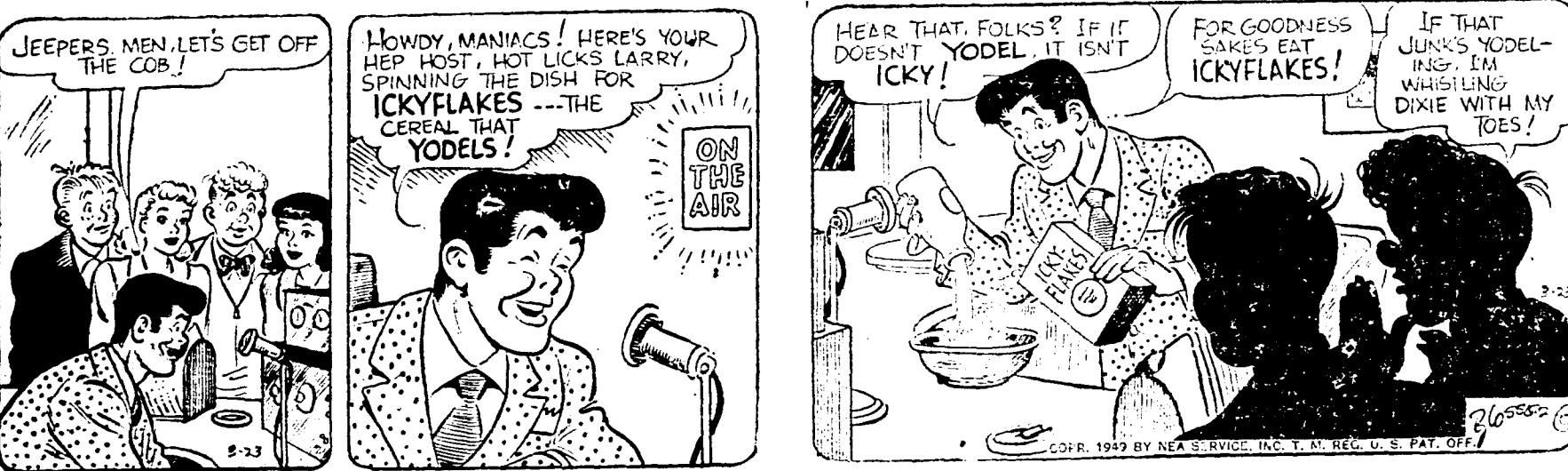
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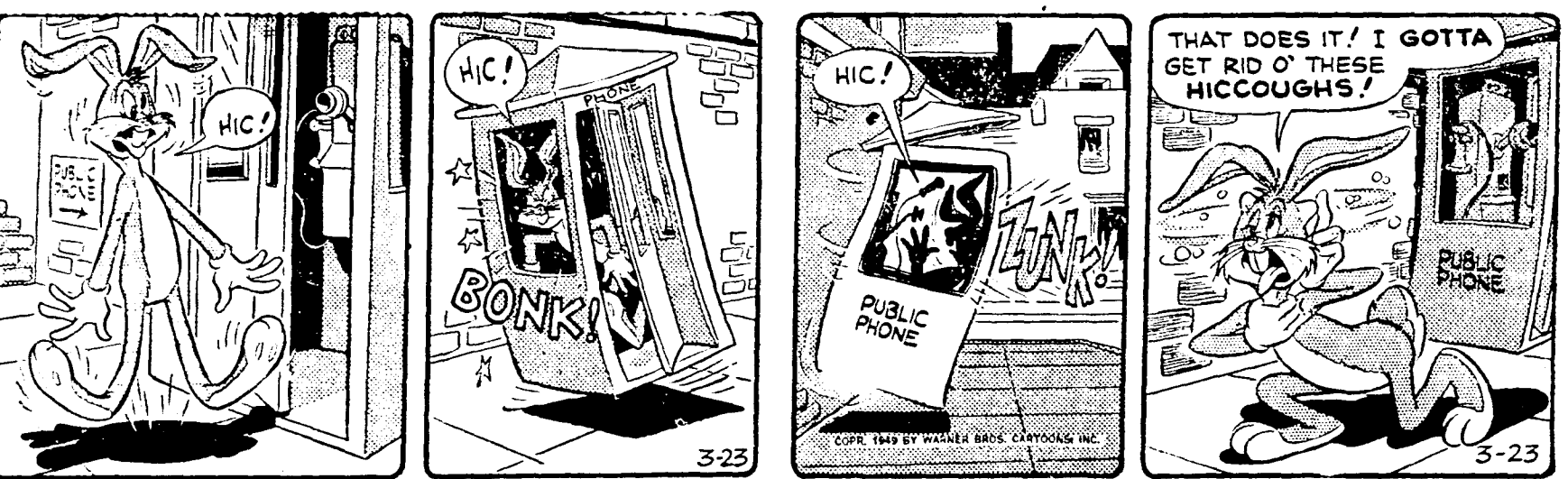
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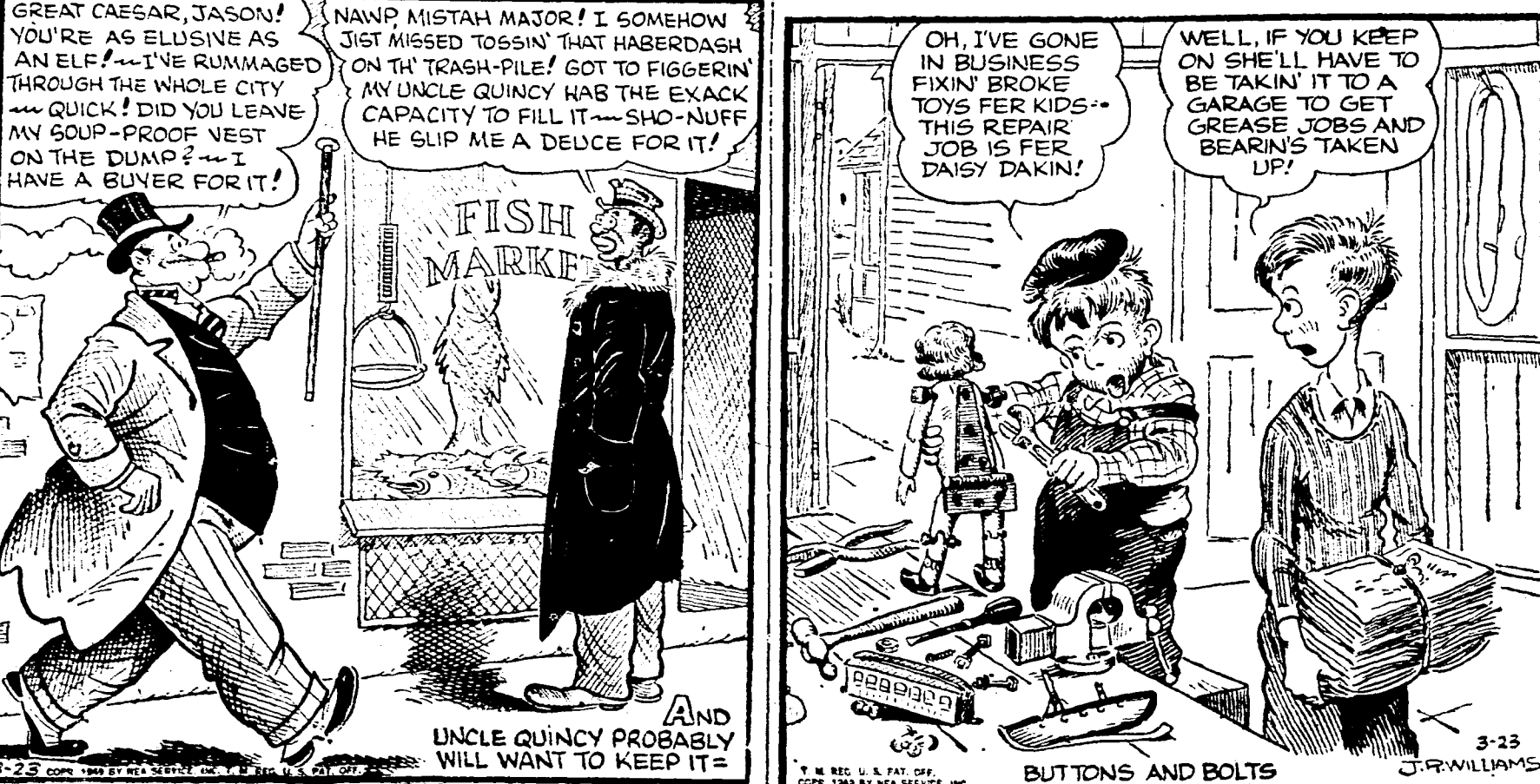
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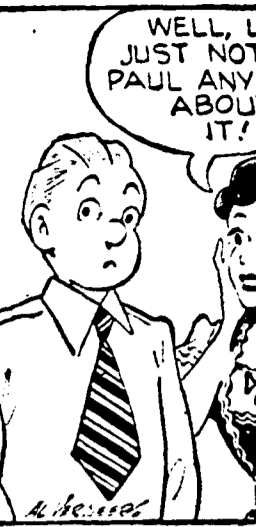
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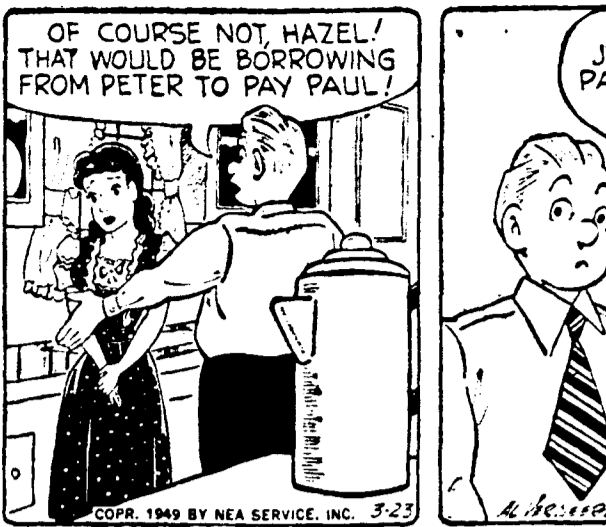
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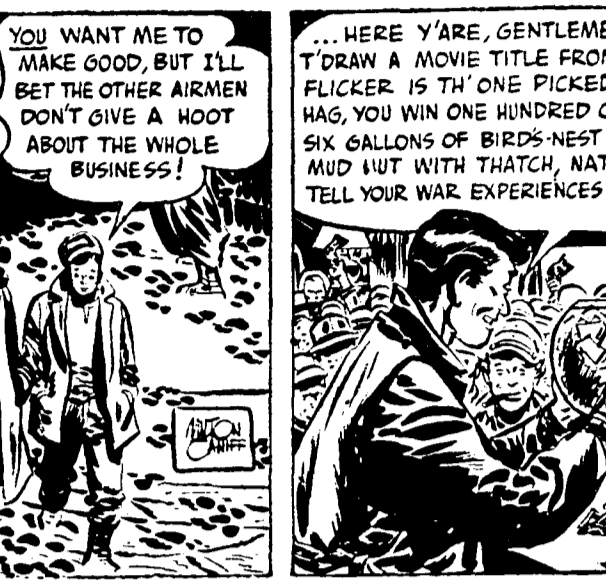
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19 Indistinct

21 Augmented

22 Goddess of infatuation

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26 Mentally sound

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30 Street (ab.)

31 Bone

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One-hundred and fifty young people from Morgan and surrounding counties attended the annual Morgan county rural youth banquet at the Jacksonville Masonic temple Saturday, March 19.

The theme of the dinner, and dance which followed, was carried out with Hawaiian decorations. Handmade paper Hawaiian flowers and canoes decorated the tables.

Hold Last Rites For J. O. Pruden At Versailles

Versailles — Funeral services for J. O. Pruden were held in the Tarrant Funeral Home Monday afternoon with the Rev. William Porter of Burnside officiating. Mrs. J. C. Casteen and Mrs. Christine Hurst sang the hymns accompanied by Mrs. Glen Myers.

Flowers were cared for by neices Eva Behmyer, Verla Simpson, Mabel Goveia, Lorena Warker, and Mary Ellen Bridgewater.

Palbearers were nephews Orvil Lee Behmyer, Russell Simpson, Ervin Goveia, Genesee John and Junior Dummire.

Funeral services for Charles Ferry, 72, were held in the Tarrant Funeral Home Saturday afternoon with the Rev. Carl Lee and the Rev. Carl Bartels officiating.

Flowers were cared for by Mrs. William Bradbury, Mrs. Neville Clark, and Mrs. A. A. Thorman.

Palbearers were Dwight Davis, Julian Vandewater, Roy Stone, Allan Thorman, Hubert Knowles, and Neville Clark.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Elva Ferry, a son, Roscoe Groves, a step-daughter, Mrs. Merle Cunningham, and a step-son, Cleo Hammond.

Funeral services for Mrs. Charles Hall of Quincy were held in the Tarrant Funeral Home Sunday afternoon conducted by Delman Hillstab. Hymns were sung by Helen Pedeo, Bedva Dumpsan and Albert Freeman, accompanied by Virginia Mecheletti.

Flowers were cared for by Mesdames Albert Freeman, Nellie Thomas, Ivan Thomas and Hettie Thomas.

Palbearers were Ralph Hall, Earl Hall, Roy Daniels, Ivan Thomas, Frank Thomas and Robert Sedger.

Research Forum Hears Paper By Robert Slayton

Winchester—Mr. and Mrs. Otto Henry entertained the members of research forum No. 24, at a dinner in their home Monday evening.

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Amvets Auxiliary To Hold Oyster Supper March 29

The Amvets Auxiliary announced plans for an oyster supper at their regular meeting Tuesday night, March 29 at the club room. The supper is to be held at the hall, and all members of the Amvets and the Auxiliary are invited.

During the business session, the club voted a donation to the Crippled Children's Fund of Morgan County and discussed the idea of giving away an electric roaster at the Illinois Theatre on July 1.

Entertainment following the business was furnished by the Superior Four quartette, Tommy Farrell and Donna Clayton also sang a duet.

The attendance prize for the evening was won by Mae Essex.

Funeral Services For Elmer Timian Held At Virginia

Virginia—Funeral services for Elmer F. Timian were held at the Massie Funeral Home, Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. with the Rev. H. F. Higgins officiating.

Helen Stewart Reed was pianist. The many floral tributes were taken care of by Miss Iva Lancaster.

Mrs. Steve Tredway, Mrs. William Yapple, Mrs. Thomas Mahoney, and Miss Marlene Caldwell.

Casket-bearers included Floyd Lechman, Norman Leonard, Leo Lechman, Roscoe Reichert, William Yapple, and Emil Reiser.

S. S. Monroe, a county supervisor, returned from Deaconess Hospital in St. Louis where he had been convalescing.

Frank Fox visited S. S. Monroe at his home at Newmansville on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hudson, and family, of Jacksonville, called on Mrs. and Mrs. Richard Jumper Wednesday evening.

Citizens of this community, who were interested in the Cub Scout movement, met in the Legion Hall on Tuesday evening. Mr. McDermott of Jacksonville was the principal speaker. He explained the Cub program to the group. It was received with great enthusiasm. Several mothers have volunteered to act as Den Mothers and two or three men are interested in being cub master.

Services For Holy Week Will Begin On Palm Sunday

Holy week services will begin on the evening of Palm Sunday, April 10, with evening vespers by the MacMurray college choir at 7:30 p. m. in Grace Methodist church.

The schedule of services during holy week is as follows: Monday evening, Trinity Episcopal church, sermon by Rev. Frank Marston; Tuesday evening, State Street Presbyterian church, sermon by Rev. Frank Janssen; Wednesday evening, First Baptist church, sermon by Rev. Lewis Raymond; Thursday evening, community-wide communion service at Grace church, with sermon by Dr. Harris Pankhurst. The church will open at 8 a. m.

The Good Friday services will be held from 12 to 3 p. m. in the First Baptist church. The speakers will be Rev. Wilbur M. Allen, Rev. Arthur Everb, Rev. John Collins, Rev. C. W. Leonard, Rev. Daniel E. Kerr, Rev. Clair E. Malcolmson and Rev. Roy S. Hulan. Other ministers of the city will also assist with the services.

Newsboy Prevents Wreck; Honored By I. C. Railroad

Buckner, Ill., March 23.—(P)—Carl Margis, 18, newspaper delivery boy, was honored by Illinois Central railroad officials today for averting a possible train wreck.

Margis discovered a broken rail near here as he was making his delivery rounds March 1. He reported it to the Illinois Central agent here immediately and repairs were made before the next train was due.

John F. Sharkey, I. C. superintendent at Carbondale, presented Margis with a medal, then took Margis to St. Louis for two days' entertainment at company expense.

Virginia Lady Dies In Local Hospital

Mrs. Della Ruppel of Virginia died at 10:50 p. m. Wednesday night at Our Saviour's hospital. She had been a patient at the hospital since Feb. 27.

The body was taken to the Massie Funeral Home in Virginia. Funeral arrangements are incomplete and will be announced later.

ELECTED PRESIDENT

Champaign, Ill., March 23.—(P)—Fred H. Ebersold, Chicago advertising executive, has been elected president of the University of Illinois alumni association, it was announced today.

OUR MANY THANKS

To all who extended sympathy and help in our recent sorrow. For the floral offerings and other kindnesses we are deeply grateful.

D. O. Fioreth and family
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fioreth

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank Dr. Lenth, all the sisters, nurses, nurses' aides, friends and relatives who were so kind during my recent stay in Our Saviour's hospital. Visitors, flowers and cards were deeply appreciated.

Mrs. Ruth Peters

Russians Seal It With Rubble



Using rubble from bombed buildings, Soviet forces are putting up roadblocks like this to seal off their sector of Berlin to western Germans. The Russians are also expected to cut the elevated railway, operated by the Russians for the entire city, as a further retaliation for the new currency reform which outlawed the Soviet mark in west Berlin.

Local Couple Wed In Ceremony At Hot Springs

Two Jacksonville young people, Miss Blanche Gilmore and Francis 'Bud' Spreen, were united in marriage Sunday, March 20, at 2 p. m. in Hot Springs, Ark. Miss Gilmore is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Gilmore and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Spreen. Both families are of this city.

The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Coy Pague in the parsonage.

Mr. and Mrs. James Jones, of Hot Springs, attended the couple. Mrs. Jones is a cousin of the bride.

Mrs. Spreen was attired in a brown gabardine suit, with balcony aude accessories. She wore a corsage of yellow and pink gladioli blossoms. Mrs. Jones was dressed in navy blue with a red rose corsage.

Immediately following the ceremony, the wedding party engaged a horse-drawn carriage for a tour through the mountains in Hot Springs National Park. A reception was held at the Southern Club later in the evening.

Following their honeymoon through the southern states and Old Mexico, the newlyweds will make their home at 856 Hardin avenue, Jacksonville.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Spreen were graduated from Jacksonville high school. Mr. Spreen is a veteran of World War II.

First Train On Wabash Arrives As Strike Ends

A freight train steamed through Jacksonville over the Wabash railroad at 8:30 a. m. Wednesday, the first train that had operated over the line here since March 15, when operating employees went out on strike. The first train to put in an appearance was No. 91, westbound, which was reported to have been made up at Decatur.

Passenger service was not restored on the local division Wednesday, but local Wabash employees said they looked for a resumption of passenger schedules Thursday.

Train crews throughout the Wabash system were returning to work Wednesday as the result of an agreement reached between union officials and the management.

Senators Praise Dr. Graham As GOP Questions Loyalty

Washington, March 23.—(P)—The appointment of Dr. Frank P. Graham as a Democratic Senator from North Carolina brought a Republican demand today for an investigation of the way he was cleared to receive secret atomic information.

But as soon as Senator Bricker (R-Ohio) voiced that demand, other members jumped up to praise Graham as a loyal American and a great educator. The Senator-designate is president of the University of North Carolina.

Senator Hoey, North Carolina's senior senator, declared that Graham is "as loyal as any American who walks this earth."

"I do not agree with Dr. Graham in many of his philosophies, in many of his principles, in many of his ideas," Hoey said, "but there never has been in North Carolina any question about his loyalty to this country and its great traditions and its high ideals."

Senator Morse (R-Ore.), who served with Graham two years on the war labor board, said he would place him "exceedingly high on the list" of the 25 greatest living Americans.

IN APPRECIATION

We wish to express our gratitude to our many friends for their kindnesses shown in thought and deed during our latest bereavement.

Mrs. O. May Admire,
Virgil E. Admire,
Verla I. Admire,
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I wish to thank everyone who remembered me in any way during my recent illness.

Mrs. William Horton.

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W. E. Queen Heads Local Elks Lodge For Coming Year

W. E. Queen was elected Exalted Ruler of the Jacksonville lodge B.P. O. Elks, at a meeting Wednesday evening.

Other officers selected by the club at this annual election included R. J. Shanley, leading knight; Thos. K. Kline, loyal knight; J. H. Dowland, lecturing knight; Ralph Thomson, secretary; Denham Harney, treasurer; J. W. Larson, tiller; W. Max Thompson, trustee five year; George Lukeman, Jr., trustee three years; Edward J. Flynn, trustee three years; W. E. Queen, delegate to grand lodge; and Denham Harney, alternate delegate.

The evening was concluded with movies, entertainment by Merritt Caldwell, magician and a buffet lunch.

Last Rites For Former Local Man Held In California

Last rites for Virgil Irving Admire, 49, were held recently at the Grace Chapel in Los Angeles, California.

Mr. Admire was a former Jacksonville resident, but had lived in California since 1943.

The deceased leaves to mourn his death, a wife, Verla; son, Virgil; three sisters, Mrs. Stella Short, of Urbana; Mrs. Cora Picquet, Carbondale; Mrs. Lelia Denison, Eldorado; and two brothers, Elmer and Truman of Rockhouse.

Former friends and residents of the Jacksonville vicinity who attended the funeral services included, Mr. and Mrs. Eador, formerly of Franklin; Mrs. Robert Seymour and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Mansfield, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hess, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Farrand, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Skages, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gallows, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Harris, Mrs. Geo. Stubbfield and Mrs. Florence Howard.

John Norris, former resident of Jacksonville, was a pall-bearer.

Mr. Admire, and family, moved to Jacksonville from Mendota, Wis., in 1922. During his 21 years residence here, the deceased was in the employ of Larson Cleaners.

Amateur Show Held At Youth Center Tuesday

The young people of junior high school age held an amateur show at the Y.M.C.A. Youth Center Tuesday evening, the night on which the facilities of the "Y" are reserved especially for this age group.

Gary Zell, who sang "That's My Desire," and Earl Harris who sang "My Darling, My Darling," tied for first place. Second place went to Mary Tucker. Her selection was "I Want to Be Loved." The third place winner was Janet Dunlap, who sang "Cruising Down The River."

Other contestants were Sallie Barnhart, "Why Do I Love You?"; C. E. Cox, "Far Away Places"; Moricette Neal, "The Gypsy"; and the band, comprised of Jim Buster, Chuck Bonjean, JoAnn Ode, Janet Conlee, Charlotte Hoagland, Barbara Whalin, John Pearson, Don May and Butler Lacy, "Indian Chief," "The Prom," and "Modernities."

The judges were Miss Harriet Rogers and Kermit Breen. Ned Jackson was the master of ceremonies.

Woodson Revival Services Continue Through Sunday

"Why Are We Here?" was the topic of Evangelist W. W. Williams' sermon Tuesday night, one of a series being given at the Woodson Christian church.

Mrs. Irene Helliwell, soloist, sang the old hymn, "Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone?" and a robed chorus of thirty young people from the Woodhouse Christian church sang several selections.

The host couple and their committee Tuesday night were Mr. and Mrs. William Fanning, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Fisher and Herbert Owens.

Meetings are held at the Woodson Christian church at 7:30 each evening this week except Saturday and will conclude Sunday night. The Rev. A. D. Hermann is minister of the church.

Girl Scout Troop Will Present Play

Girl Scout Troop 20 will present a one-act play entitled "Homework" at the Congregational church Saturday evening, March 26, at 7:30.

The cast is composed of Mr. Pepper, Virginia Lee Brown; Mrs. Pepper, Sandra Baker; Trudy, Wilma Dobbie; Timothy, Ona Lee Eberhardt; Helen, Cheryl Smith; and Muscles Murray, Marian Cory.

Members of the production staff are Beverly Middendorf, stage manager; Shirley Colcausue, lights; Ruth Ann Miller, makeup; Kay Kendall, costumes; Joyce Goveia, prompter and Virginia Brown, program. Pat Honey and Nancy Dalton are in charge of publicity.

Dorothy Goebel and Jane Loneragan are leaders of the troop.

CRASH DAMAGES

Toronto, March 23.—(P)—How would a man's suit made out of paper-thin mahogany plywood with dark walnut lapels appeal to you? W. G. Varty, a Canadian radio cabinet manufacturer, says it possible, "considering the number of uses they are finding for plywood and how thin they're getting it."

He wouldn't estimate how long it will be before plywood clothing appears on the market, but he added: "Just think how it would hold a crease."

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Fred Duwer Family.

865 Music Students Will Enter District Contest At High School

The district music contest, which is to be held at Jacksonville High school on Saturday, March 26, will feature competition among 865 students, representing 49 high schools in this section of Illinois.

The event will start promptly at 8:30 a. m. and continue throughout most of the day. The solo, both vocal and instrumental, and the ensemble numbers will be judged. Judging of the organizations, bands, choruses and other similar groups will take place on Saturday, April 9.

The winners of the district competition will be eligible to compete in the state contest, scheduled for April 29 and 30. The locations will vary according to the classification of the school.

J. H. S. in A Class

Schools in the AA class will meet at Pekin; A class at Lanphier high school in Springfield; B class at Canton; C class at Charleston; and D class at Macomb.

There are 14 districts in the state. From this district, 865 contestants are entered. The event is sponsored by the Illinois High School association.

Each school entered will be assigned to a room for the day at J.H.S. Cafeteria facilities will be available for all, with the band parents in charge. Mrs. George G. Sturm is chairman.

A guide and information desk will be set up in the front hall. The contestants will have ample time for sight-seeing in the city. The YMCA Youth Center will be open and all entrants are invited to spend some time there if they desire.

49 Schools Entered

Schools entered are Ashland, Assumption, Athens, Atlanta, Auburn, Beardstown, Beason, Buffalo, (Tri-City), Champaign, Danvers, Easton, Edinburg, Forest City, Glenkirk, Girard, Ball Township, (Glenarm), Greenville, Hartsburg-Enders, Havana, Illinois, Jacksonville, Lincoln, Manitowish, Mason City, Meredosia, Middleton, Morrisville, (Mt. Auburn, Mt. Pulaski, New Berlin, New Holland, Pana, Pawnee, Petersburg, Pleasant Plains, Raymond, Riverton, Rochester, San Jose, Springfield, Lanphier (Springfield), Stonington, Tallula, Taylorville, Virden, Virginia, Waverly, White Hall and Williamsville.

Jacksonville contestants are Gretchen Engelbach, Connie Katz, Mary Ruth Hayes, George Conley, David Pierce, Barbara Stevens, Patsy Shannon, Mary R. Hayes, Sylvia Plouer, Charles Williamson, Fred Engelbach, Blanche Tankersley, George Fox, and Florence Ritchie.

The public is cordially invited to attend. Tickets will be available at the school.

Morgan County Rural Youth Hold Regular Meeting

Mr. R. E. Montgomery, engineer for the Illinois Cooperative locker service, spoke at the regular Monday night meeting of the Morgan county rural youth at the farm bureau hall.

Mr. Montgomery, in a regular classroom lecture, explained the theory of refrigeration. The speaker, who boasts a broad scientific background in this process, combined with extensive travel and study of conditions in Europe, gave a very informative talk to the youth group.

He applied a prediction of new applications of science to the dairy industry, of high frequency cooking and building temperature control in his talk.

During the business meeting, the club decided to supply baseball equipment for cottages at the school for the blind as a part of their community service projects for February and March. The group was informed of a special meeting, which will be held March 30, at the Hub, in Peoria, Ill.

Guests present at this meeting were Dorothy Virgin, Red Farmer, Olinda Siebenmann, and Don Werries.

Crash Damages Truck And Car

A panel truck belonging to the State Cleaners of Springfield and a Jacksonville automobile were damaged in a collision Tuesday afternoon near Hardin avenue and Routt street. Although two persons were in each vehicle, there were no injuries.

The truck, driven by Harold Peterson, 720 North Ninth street, Springfield, is reported to have collided with the rear of a 1941 Ford car occupied by Helen Beastall, 340 West Pennsylvania avenue, and Mrs. Herbert Weatherford, 508 Hardin avenue. The car had just passed the intersection and stopped in the 500 block on Hardin avenue, headed south, when it was struck by the truck.

The 1948 Dodge panel truck was towed to the Lukeman Motor Co. garage.

Sgt. Spreen and Patrolman Smith went to the scene of the accident.

SWISS BUY ENGINES

Bern, Switzerland, March 23.—(P)—The Swiss parliament approved the purchase of 100 British Vampire engines today by a vote of 90 to six. The communists provided the only opposition.

Our heartfelt thanks to relatives and friends for the many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy shown during the illness and death of our sister, Elizabeth Bergschneider.

The Bergschneider Family.

NOTICE

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ELDER R. O. WOODWORTH

An invitation is extended to the public to hear an address by Elder R. O. Woodworth, evangelist and business manager of the Bible Baptist seminary at Fort Worth, Tex., on Sunday, March 27, at 3 p. m. at the Central Baptist church.

Elder Woodworth will also be the principal speaker at the annual meeting of the Fundamental Baptist Fellowship of Iowa and Illinois, to be held Monday and Tuesday, March 28 and 29, at the Edgewood Baptist church in Rock Island.

Amvets Executive Board Will Plan State Convention

Final arrangements for the 1949 AMVETS state convention will be made this weekend in Champaign by leaders of the World War II veterans' group. State Adjutant Raymond T. Gundlock of Champaign announced Wednesday.

Convention plans highlight the agenda of a state executive committee meeting at the Champaign AMVETS club rooms Saturday and Sunday. Opening session is scheduled for 2 p. m. Saturday. C. P. Siegfried of Jacksonville, Third district representative, is a member of the executive committee.

This year's state convention will be held in Freeport June 9-12. Milo M. Adelman, Freeport, is general chairman of the convention. William G. Lee, Rockford, is state commander of AMVETS.

Evarts, Ky., Looks For Sixth Police Chief Since August

Evarts, Ky., March 23.—(P)—Evarts has lost five chiefs of police for various reasons since last August, but Mayor E. H. Bailey said today 142 persons from every state in the union want to be the sixth.

Application have flooded the mayor's office, he said, since Isachar Combs, the last chief, was sentenced to serve ten years in prison last week for the slaying of an Evarts restaurant man.

Bailey made the disclosure when asked about the application of 41-year-old Howard P. Gibson, Lexington veteran who told the Lexington leader today:

"I ain't afraid of any man, living or dead. I've got two 45's and I get the job I'll get two more. Boy, I ain't afraid of nothing that walks or crawls."

Bailey said he was interested in Gibson.

Evarts lost its first chief in the present series last August when the officer serving then resigned after several shots were fired into his automobile. E. J. Baumgardner, the next one, was shot to death. The third one quit his job and went back to driving a taxicab, saying that life was safer. The fourth one resigned after being arrested for drunkenness. Combs was the fifth. He is appealing his sentence.

Funeral Services

Funeral rites for Mrs. Minnie Elmore will be held Thursday at 2:30 p. m. at the Williamson Funeral Home. The Rev. C. W. Leonard will officiate. Burial will be in Memorial Lawn cemetery.

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